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RAIL OFFICIALS SEE EARLY END OF STRIKE

lieve Shopmen Will Return to Work Pending Settlement of Wage Demands.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—While only a few of the striking fed- ted railway shopmen in the Chicago district have returned work, railroad officials were optimistic today over prospects an early return of workmen to their places, pending a settle- nt of their wage demands or the result of a strike vote for ich ballots have been distributed from Washington by the ernational officers in the regular way.

B. L. F. E. CHAIRMEN MEET.

leveland, O., Aug. 12.—Three hun- d local chairmen of the Brother- d of Locomotive Firemen and En- emen, representing more than 000 firemen and hostlers through- the United States and Canada here today to discuss wage de- nds to be presented to the rail- administration.

KE END NEAR IN BOSTON.

oston, Aug. 12.—Confidence that end of the mechanics' strike and consequent resumption of normal vice on the New England railroads uld be brought about within a few s was expressed by railroad offi- s here today.

ituation Improved

hicago, Aug. 12.—Conditions due the strike of railway shopmen re reported improved today in ctically every district of the coun- , excepting Chicago, Boston and anta.

MANY BACK AT WORK.

ccording to reports received by lway officials in Chicago, all shop- n on the Norfolk and Southern lway returned today and on the isville and Nashville road a large mber of men are back at their ts.

Every shopman on the Seaboard o has obeyed President Wilson's ct and returned to work and 1,000 n employed by the Baltimore and io road at Baltimore are back. nditions at Cleveland and Colum- s, O., are reported nearly normal. Five hundred shopmen on the Chi- go and Northwestern and the Chi- go, Milwaukee and St. Paul road the northwest returned which en- ed the former road to remove its t embargo on perishable freight signed to points in Iowa.

CARBUILDERS STICK.

One thousand car builders who vot- to go out yesterday reconsidered ir action today and decided to re- in at work.

It is estimated there are about 28,- shopmen out in Chicago and vicin- .

International officials today ad- essed a mass meeting of boilermak- urging them to return to work.

WILSON CALLS LABOR CONFERENCE

Washington, Aug. 12.—The Inter- tional Labor conference provided r in the peace treaty, has been lled by President Wilson to meet Washington, Oct 29. All nations embers of the International Labor ganization as defined in article 387 the peace treaty and those which obably will become members prior the conference, have been invited send delegates.

Secretary of Labor Wilson has been ked by the president to take charge the arrangements.

The international organization com- ittee of the conference has complet- its work in London and Ambassa- Davis was instructed to invite committee in the name of the esident to meet in Washington in ptember.

HONOR 8,000 MARINE HEROES

Washington, Aug. 12.—The nation- capital was prepared today to pay ibute to the 8,000 heroes of the ourth brigade of marines, whose allantry at Chateau Thierry, Bel- au Wood and other decisive con- icts has become a tradition of the ar, when they swing down the ag-bordered reaches of Pennsyl- ania avenue and pass in review be- re the president. It is their last arade and they will return to Quan- co after the review and tonight any of them will be on their way me.

HOOVER CONFERS AT PRAGUE

[By The Associated Press.]

Prague, Bohemia, Sunday, Aug. 10. —Herbert Hoover, head of the inter- llied relief commission, arrived here oday unannounced, accompanied by taff of experts.

Mr. Hoover immediately went into onference with the ministry and the resident.

It was stated that long discus- ions took place on the general ne- cessity of Czecho-Slovakia continu- ng through the next twelve months with her "tightened belt" as far as ood conditions are concerned.

HEAR PLAINTS OF WORKERS AT YARDS

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Hearings in the wage disputes of the packers and their employes were resumed today before Federal Judge Samuel Alschuler. The decision of the judge, acting as arbitrator, will affect the packing house employes of St. Paul, South Omaha, Denver, Fort Worth, Kansas City and other places in which the large packers have plants. A 44-hour week and a minimum wage of 70 cents an hour is demanded by the employes, the demand embracing a clause that the packers shall not raise the price of meat to cover the raise in wages.

Whites and negroes rode to work in the trains and labored together in the plants today as on yesterday—the first of resumption of work after the strike—without an apparent ill feeling.

$50,000 SUIT AGAINST "STARS"

New York, Aug. 12. — Suits for $500,000 for damages alleged to have resulted from the strike called by the Actors' Equity association, were filed by the Winter Garden company (The Shuberts) in the United States District court yesterday against nearly 300 of the country's most prominent stage and screen stars.

The complaint, which charges the actors with conspiracy, follows the general line of the famous Danbury Hatters' case in which the hatters, members of a labor union, were sued successfully for $220,000 and many of the workmen lost their homes through attachments to satisfy the judgments.

Among actors named as defendants were:

Sam Barnard, Eddie Foy, Francis X Bushman, Richard Carle, Douglas Fairbanks, William Courtenay, William S. Hart, Lauretta Taylor, J. Forbes Robertson, Cyril Maud, Robert Edeson, Blanche Ring, William and Dustin Farnum, Elsie Ferguson, Trixie Friganza, DeWolf Hopper, J. Hartley Manners, Guy Bates Post, Fred Stone, Otis Skinner, Julia Sanderson, Julian Eltinge, Leo Ditrichstein and William B. Mack.

BRADY HELPS OUT IN STAGE STRIKE

New York, Aug. 12.— Actors, now managers, who have not appeared before the footlights in years are being forced to appear in plays they are presenting by the strike called by the Actors' Equity association. William A. Brady, following the lead of George M. Cohan, announced today that he would play the role of a butler in his production of "At 9:45," when that play re-opens this week. Charles Hopkins, also a manager, will appear with Mr. Brady.

One attraction, re-opened last night leaving ten houses still dark.

GAMBLING IN GERMANY GROWS

[Correspondence of the Associated Press.]

Frankfort on Main, July 30. —Gambling is on the increase throughout Germany to an alarming extent, according to German newspapers. This is said to be due partly to the higher living of individuals who made fortunes during the war by government contracts or otherwise.

NEBRASKA CORN YIELD IS LARGER

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 12.—Nebraska's 1919 corn yield is forecast at 174,830,000 bushels, or 51,744,000 bushels more than last year.

This estimate was made in the August crop report of the United States bureau of crop estimates, and the state board of agriculture issued last night. The predicted production, however, is 13,760,000 bushels under the five-year 1913-1917 average.

Cold, wet weather in the spring, cut worms and drouth in the summer are held responsible for reducing the expected yield.

HUN AGREEMENT WITH FINS FEARED

Paris, Monday, Aug. 11.—Admiral Paul von Hintze, former secretary for foreign affairs of Germany, is at Helsingfors and has had an interview with M. Holsto, Finnish minister of foreign affairs, according to advices received here. This has attracted considerable attention in Paris, as indicating a possible rapprochment between Finland and Germany.

CHARGE BRITISHERS SPY ON LABOR

London, Monday, Aug. 11.—That the British government is organizing a sinister secret plot against labor and is conducting systematic spying activities on the action of workers is a charge that is featured today in the Daily Herald, the labor organ, which connects with this alleged movement recent official reports of Bolsheviki conspiracies as part of the scheme.

According to the story printed by the Herald, the military intelligence department of the war office is being used for industrial spying under the control of the Home office, and Scotland Yards.

Every attempt says the newspaper, is being made to undermine the labor movement by sowing mutual distrust in the ranks of the workers at the same time that the police force and the army are being "purged."

FLIERS DETECT SINN FEINERS

[By The Associated Press.]

Belfast, Monday, Aug. 11.—An airplane making a "duty flight" Saturday between Novan, on the east coast of Ireland, and Armagh, observed Sinn Feiners holding a meeting which had been forbidden. The fliers reported their discovery and military police arrived at the meeting ended. They arrested two men amid the excitement. The prisoners later were released.

LABOR TROUBLES IN WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Aug. 11.—A conflict is in progress here between union labor men over the question whether the American Federation of Labor, the Dominion Labor Congress or One Big Union shall control labor organizations in Winnipeg. The struggle is the outcome of the general strike which took place here in May and June, involving labor and capital throughout the Dominion.

CLEMENCY FOR SIX CONVICTS

Springfield, Aug. 12.—On recommendation of the division of pardons and paroles, governor Lowden today granted clemency to six offenders against state laws and denied more than a score of pleas.

Clemency was denied Robert Higgins, serving a life term for murder of his wife in Mercer county and Charles Hanna, a negro, St. Clair county convicted for murder and serving a fifteen years term for complicity in the East St. Louis race riots. Both are at Joliet penitentiary.

Other denials affected the following: John Jesenivick, Williamson county, murder; Tug Taylor, Macon county, murder; William A. Hoffman, Monroe county, murder; Clarence Marshall, Adams county, murder; William Sora, Saline county, murder and William Shaw, Shelby county, perjury.

DEMAND AUSTRIAN PRISONERS RETURN

[By The Associated Press.]

Vienna, Sunday, Aug. 10.—There was a big meeting of protest today before the foreign office. The crowd demanded the return of Austrian war prisoners from Siberia "where the men are dying by hundreds daily."

The demonstrators declared that their only help was the United States.

AVIATORS PAINT EX-SOLDIER YELLOW

Rantoul, Aug. 12.—Easton E. Dennis, of Normal, an overseas veteran, met with disaster Saturday when, it is charged, he attempted to steal belongings from the soldiers at Chanute field.

Dennis, when caught by the sentry, is said to have been in possession of a suit of clothes and other articles taken from the barracks. His punishment was meted out by the men of the field, who stripped him and painted him yellow. He was dressed in a soldier's uniform and another coat of paint applied. Then to the music of a funeral dirge he was accompanied by several hundred men to the railroad station and ordered to get out of town.

Dennis came here several days ago and announced his intention of re-enlisting. His discharge papers showed that he had been a member of Co. F, 33rd Infantry. He received his discharge at Camp Grant May 20.

SWISS VOTE FOR EARLIER ELECTIONS

[By The Associated Press.]

Berne, Monday, Aug. 11. — The Swiss people in a plebiscite held yesterday decided by a vote of 195,000 to 77,000 that the election which should normally be held next year should be advanced to the last Sunday of October this year.

OPPOSITION TO ARCHDUKE

Demonstrations in Prague Against New Hungarian Plan.

[By The Associated Press.]

Prague, Monday, Aug. 11.—Large but orderly demonstrations occurred here today, being led generally by the Social Democratic element in protest against the coup d'etat by which Archduke Joseph became the head of the Hungarian government.

At the beginning of the Roumanian invasion of Hungary the more conservative elements of Cezcho-Slovakia were insistent that a Czech army advance immediately into Hungary to protect Czecho-Slovakian interests there.

Fears are expressed that the reactionary element in Vienna will soon join forces with those back of the ascendency of Archduke Joseph and will amalgamate the Austrian and Hungarian states into an intensely autocratic government which will become the center of autocratic propaganda in central Europe. No Czecho-Slovakian officials believe for a moment that Archduke Joseph any more represents the true sentiments of the Hungarian common people than did Bela Kun. They say that both governments were based on "terrorism" and in opposition to the aspirations of the common people through central Europe.

NO FURTHER ACTION.

Paris, Aug. 12.—The peace conference, it was apparent today, will take no further action in the Hungarian situation until the inter-allied military mission, which has been sent to Budapest, makes its report.

Brigadier General Harry H. Bandholtz, the American representative on the mission, reached the Hungarian capital Monday, the American peace delegation was advised today.

The general has not yet been able to send a report on the situation in Budapest.

OLD OFFICIALS IN.

[By The Associated Press.]

Budapest, Monday, Aug. 11. — The old administrative officials have resumed their functions throughout the country.

The official journal today prints a statement made by Archduke Joseph, saying:

"As soon as the national assembly meets after the elections, my work will automatically end and the decisions of the national assembly will be sacred to all of us."

SOME WARSHIPS TO ALASKAN WATERS

Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 12.—Permanent detail of some vessels of the Pacific fleet to Alaskan waters in the near future is a certainty, naval officers said last night. According to the naval officers, at least one base port probably will be established. This, it was said, would be near the Alaskan coal and oil fields.

LAST WAR LABOR BOARD MEETING

New York, Aug. 12.—The national war labor board which convened here today to consider wage disputes on street car lines in Massachusetts, Pennsylvania and Ohio, announced that it would officially end its jurisdiction over labor troubles when the meeting here adjourned.

PRINCE OF WALES LANDS IN CANADA

Given Great Ovation By St. Johns Crowd.

St. Johns, N. F., Aug. 12.—The Prince of Wales landed here at noon today and rode through an enthusiastic crowd lining two miles of city streets over which decorated arches had been erected.

ARREST FORMER BOLSHEVIK CHIEF

Copenhagen, Monday, Aug. 11. — General Vatatis, former commander-in-chief of the Bolsheviki forces, and his chief of staff have been arrested by order of the Bolsheviki government, according to a Helsingfors dispatch quoting a report from Petrograd. The two officers were charged with organizing a counter-revolution.

ITALIANS OFFER TO WORK LONGER

Rome, Aug. 12—(Havas)—Premier Nitti, it is announced, has received a telegram from several groups of railway employes who offer voluntarily to increase the number of their working hours in order to increase national production.

LODGE CALLS LEAGUE DEFORMED EXPERIMENT

Massachusetts Senator Declares "As An American" He Cannot Accept Some of Features of Plan.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Describing the League of Nations as a "deformed experiment upon a noble purpose," Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, chairman of the Foreign Relations committee and Republican leader of the Senate, declared in a Senate speech today that there were features of the league covenant which "as an American" he never could accept.

WOULD KILL MONROE DOCTRINE.

Creating, not a league of peace but an alliance embracing many "provisions for war," the covenant in its present form, he asserted, would kill the Monroe Doctrine, nullify any possibility of withdrawal from membership, impair the sovereign power of deciding domestic questions, and "plunge the United States into every controversy and conflict on the face of the globe.

"Let us beware," he said, "how we palter with our independence. We have not reached the great position from which we were able to come down into the field of battle and help to save the world from tyranny, by being guided by others. Our vast power has all been built up and gathered together by ourselves alone.

U. S. OWES NO ONE.

"We forced our way upward from the days of the Revolution, through a world often hostile and indifferent. We owe no debt to anyone except to France in our revolution and those policies and those rights on which our power has been founded should never be lessened or weakened. It will be no service to the world to do so and it will be of intolerable injury to the United States. We will do our share. We are ready and anxious to help in all ways to preserve the world's peace. But we can do it best by not crippling ourselves.

"I am as anxious as any human being can be to have the United States render every possible service to the civilization and the peace of mankind, but I am certain we can do it best by not putting ourselves in lending strings or subjecting our policies and our sovereignty to other nations. I will go as far as anyone in world service, but the first step toward service is the maintenance of the United States. You may call me selfish, if you will, conservative or reactionary, but an American I was born, an American I have remained all my life.

"WORLD'S BEST HOPE"

"The United States is the world's best hope, but if you fetter her in the interests and quarrels of other nations, if you tangle her in intrigues of Europe, you will destroy her power for good and endanger her very existence.

"We are told that we shall 'break the heart of the world' if we do not take this league just as it stands. I fear that the hearts of the vast majority of mankind would beat on strongly and steadily and without any quickening if the league were to perish altogether. If it should be effectively and beneficiently changed the people who lie awake in sorrow for a single night could be easily gathered in one not very large room but those who would draw a long breath of relief would reach to millions.

TOO MUCH "IDEALS."

"Ideals have been thrust upon us as an argument for the league, until the healthy mind revolts from them. Are ideals confined to this deformed experiment upon a noble purpose tainted as it is with bargains and tied to a peace treaty which might have been disposed of long ago to the great benefit of the world if it had not been compelled to carry this rider on its back?

"No doubt many excellent and patriotic people see a coming fulfillment of noble ideals in the words 'League of Peace.' We all respect and share these aspirations and desires but some of us see no hope but rather defeat, for them in this murky covenant. For we, too, have our ideals even if we differ from those who have tried to establish a monopoly of idealism. Our first ideal is our country. We would have our country strong to resist a peril from the west, as she has flung back the German menace from the east. We would not have our politics distracted and embittered by the dissensions of other lands.

CANNOT ISOLATE U. S.

"So far as the question of isolation goes, it is impossible to isolate the United States. We may set aside all this empty talk about isolation. Nobody expects to isolate the United States or to make it a hermit nation which is a sheer absurdity. But there is a wide difference between taking a suitable part and bearing a due responsibility in world affairs and plunging the United States into every controversy and conflict on the face of the globe."

COMBINATION OF ALL PLANS.

Washington, Aug. 12.—The plan for a league of nations used as a basis of discussion at Versailles was not any of the drafts submitted by the United States, Great Britain, France or Italy, but was a combination of all of them, the senate foreign relations committee was told by David Hunter Miller, legal adviser to the league of nations commission at Versailles.

Chairman Lodge said President Wilson had told the committee at the White House in March that the British plan drawn by General Smuts was used as a basis of consideration, but the witness protested that such was not his recollection. The plan taken as a basis of discussion said he, "was modelled to some extent on the other plans, but it was not the Smuts plan."

The witness said he had submitted memoranda on the American plan, but did not see the finished product until it was printed in the form transmitted to the committee yesterday by President Wilson.

"Where did the plan come from?" asked Senator Lodge.

"I suppose it came from the president."

"What became of it?"

"I think it was submitted to the commission on the league of nations. I didn't personally have anything to do with it."

INEXPERIENCED.

Questioned by Senator Brandegee, Republican, Connecticut, Mr. Miller said he was a law partner of Gordon Auchincloss, son-in-law of Colonel E. M. House, one of the American delegates to the peace conference.

"Did you have any experience in international affairs, in drafting treaties?" asked Senator Brandegee.

"Not prior to my appointment as a special assistant in the state department, shortly after the United States entered the war."

Mr. Miller said he never had heard of any plan for a league drafted by New York lawyers and taken to Paris by the president.

Senator Brandegee asked "As of what date" the "territorial integrity" mentioned under article ten of the convenant was to be guaranteed.

"I understand the boundaries and territorial integrity of nations are to be guaranteed primarily as they existed at the signing of the treaty and secondarily as they may be determined under the treaty by plebiscite, for instance."

TRY TO KILL U. S. CONTROL

Garretson Tells How Officials Work Against Plan.

Washington, Aug. 12.—A. B. Garretson, former head of the Order of Railway Conductors, told the house interstate commerce committee today that operating officials in charge of railroads during government control were actuated by the one desire of demonstrating that government ownership was not best for the country.

Exactly the same operating force that built up a great surplus before the war created this big deficit, Garretson said.

"There could be no real test as to government operation as long as the future disposition of the roads had been determined. Every effort was made to convince the people that private management was best.

"PRAYS TOWARD WALL STREET."

"When the railroad official prays he turns his face to Wall Street, but once it is demonstrated, for instance, the management in future will center in Washington, I am sure he will serve the government as earnestly as he served the old masters in the past."

Discussing the Plumb plan for tripartite control of the roads, Mr. Garretson said it "utterly demolished capital account, while the other plans submitted to congress added to it until the grand children of the present generation would stagger under the load."

END FORD TRIAL ARGUMENTS TODAY

Mount Clemens, Mich., Aug. 12.—Arguments in the $1,000,000 libel suit of Henry Ford against the Chicago Daily Tribune closed today with the summing up addresses of Elliott G. Stevenson, senior counsel for the Tribune, and Alfred Lucking, senior counsel for Mr. Ford.

Judge Tucker said that he intended to excuse the jury and counsel tomorrow while he devoted himself to preparing his instructions, which will be lengthy. Thursday morning, he said, he expected to charge the jury and send it to its deliberations.

Captain Joseph M. Patterson, one of the defendants, was in court and said that he hoped to stay until after the verdict was received, but Mr. Ford will not be present, according to his counsel.

HUN AROUSED BY PROPERTY SEIZURE

Washington, Aug. 12.—Publication in Germany of the alien property custodian's report dealing with the seizure of enemy property in this country has evoked a storm of press criticism, which the American commission in an official cablegram made public today described as "very bitter."

"This comment is probably inspired and may be considered as propaganda," the cablegram says.

SHAH OF PERSIA TO SWITZERLAND

Paris, Monday, Aug. 11.—The Shah of Persia, with a suite of twenty, will leave Teheran Aug. 12 for Switzerland, it is learned here.

GAVE STOCK BONUSES AWAY

Washington, Aug. 12. — Charges that eighteen representative railroads operating in all parts of the United States gave away stock bonuses aggregating $450,414,000 from 1900 to 1910 and have paid out millions in dividends on these bonuses were made before the house interstate commerce committee by Glenn E. Plumb of Chicago, author of the Plumb plan for tripartite control of the roads.

HELD BY BIG INTERESTS.

Mr. Plumb charged further that "these railroads, which have so increased their property investment account at the expense of the public, are now controlled in whole or in part by the Morgan interests, the Rockefeller interests and the Gould interests."

"On behalf of all the employes of the system, of transportation and the public," said Mr. Plumb, "we demand that congress shall make a thorough investigation of the charges herein set forth so that the American people may know to what extent it is sought to subject them to exploitation under the plans proposed to this committee of congress, plans which would make lawful the fixing of rates based on the now unlawful aggregate property investment accounts of these systems."

ENGLAND MAY ACT ON PROFITEERS

[By The Associated Press.]

London, Monday, Aug. 11.—The house of commons, after hearing Sir Auckland Geddes, minister for national service and reconstruction decided that profiteering in foodstuffs was responsible for social unrest and discontent, passed tonight on second reading the government bill providing for prosecution and penalties for persons guilty of profiteering. The bill was supported on second reading by the Labor party and the vote on passage was 251 to 8.

SOLUTION FOR FIUME DISORDERS

Rome, Monday, Aug. 11.—(Havas.)—The allied commission appointed by the supreme council to investigate recent disorders at Fiume has concluded its work and has evolved a solution for the difficulties the Corriere Della Serra says today.

The newspaper adds that the conclusions reached are of such a nature as to satisfy France without offending the dignity or pride of Italy.

DEMOBILIZATION COMPLETE BY NOV. 1

Washington, Aug. 12.—Demobilization of the army "so far as combatant troops are concerned," will be completed by the last of October, Secretary Baker announced today. men now in the army, it was explained, will be retained to care for large stores of equipment remaining on hand.

Mr. Baker announced some time ago that the army would be reduced to the peace time strength provided in the national defense act by Sept. 30. At that time, however, there still will remain in the army a number of men enlisted for the emergency. These will be released as rapidly as they can be replaced by volunteers.

COMMITTEE WOULD CONFIRM PALMER

Washington, Aug. 12.—Confirmation by the senate of the nomination of A. Mitchell Palmer to be attorney general was recommended in a unanimous report today by the senate judiciary sub-committee which has been holding hearings on the appointment. Chairman Dillingham said he believed the full committee approve the recommendation. Favorable action by the senate also is expected.

Opposition to Mr. Palmer, based principally upon his administration as alien property custodian, developed several weeks ago when Senator Frelinghuysen, Republican, New Jersey, presented statements to the subcommittee bearing upon the alien property custodian's activities. Several witnesses in opposition to Mr. Palmer were heard by the sub-committee and the attorney general personally defended his record.

CHICAGO FIGHTS EIGHT CENT FARE

Springfield, Aug. 12.—Formal notices of appeal from the orders of the public utilities commission granting the Chicago elevated lines an eight cent fare and the surface lines a seven-cent fare were filed by the city of Chicago in the Sangamon county circuit court today.

Court is in recess until September 2, which probably would delay any decision until after that date.

Only the notices of appeal were filed today, presentation of briefs being deferred.

The appeal notices were signed by Daniel A. Roberts and Chester E. Cleveland, counsel for the city of Chicago.

WORKING FOR LOWER PRICES

Retail Dealers Begin to Feel Effect of Army Food Sale.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Problems of the high cost of living continued today to absorb chief attention of congress and government authorities. While congress went ahead with the consideration of various bills and suggestions for legislative relief, Attorney General Palmer continued negotiations with representatives of his department and state, city and county agents throughout the country for co-operations to bring about lower prices for the necessities of life.

Coincident with the announcement by war department officials that prices of surplus army food would be readjusted from time to time to conform to reductions in the retail market on similar commodities, which was taken here as an indication that retail dealers were already beginning to feel the effects of the government's action in placing the vast quantities of stores on the market, it was announced last night that the war department also would offer to the public two million surplus blankets. These include practically all grades and range in price from $6 for the best all wool to $1.25 for reclaimed cotton blankets.

Sale and distribution of the blankets would be conducted through postoffices and municipal channels on the same plan that foodstuffs are being handled.

12 CENTS FAIR PRICE ON SUGAR

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Henry C. Rolopp, in charge of the federal food administration sugar bureau, today set 12 cents a pound as a fair price for the commodity to the consumer. He declared that any retail price in excess of this figure was "outrageous profiteering." For several weeks grocers have charged as high as 18 cents a pound.

Acting on instructions received from Washington, Julius F. Smietanka, collector of internal revenue for the Chicago district which now includes Peoria, has issued orders permitting the rectifying of whisky. As a result of this order it is said that thousands of barrels of liquor are being bottled by dealers preparatory to sale when the war-time prohibition ban is lifted.

BARNES ASKS HELP OF HOUSEWIVES

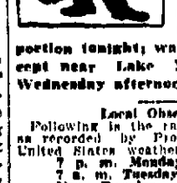
New York, Aug. 12—Revival of the American housewife's war time conscience in administration of the family table and substitution of bread for higher priced foods such as meats, eggs, and butter, as a means of reducing the high cost of living, are advocated by Julius H. Barnes, United States wheat director.

Commenting on the government crop report for July, which shows the loss in crop prospects of 221,600,000 bushels, Mr. Barnes declared that any further reduction in flour prices, "must be based upon a policy of food subsidy," not authorized by congress in the wheat act.

GIANT PLANE IN FLIGHT TO AFRICA

Casa Blanca, Morocco, Monday, Aug. 11.—The giant airplane Goliath, carrying eight passengers, which left the vicinity of Versailles at midnight Sunday, arrived here today at 5:40 p. m. The airplane will continue its journey to Dakar, French West Africa, as soon as atmospheric conditions become favorable.

The Weather



Chicago, Aug. 12. — Following are the weather indications for Illinois for thirty-six hours ending at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

Thunder showers probable tonight and Wednesday, except fair in southeast portion tonight; warmer tonight, except near Lake Michigan; cooler Wednesday afternoon.

Local Observations.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Coonradt, United States weather observer:

7 p. m. Monday	75
7 a. m. Tuesday	60
Noon Tuesday	83
Highest Monday	80
Lowest Tuesday	66
Sun rises (Standard time)	5:00
Sun sets	7:01

THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—The weather map at 8 a. m. today showed:

Canadian Northwest—48 to 60 generally clear.

Northwest—60 to 68 Moorhead trace; Duluth, .01; Bismarck raining trace; Huron .01.

West—68 to 75, generally cloudy, Valentine trace; North Platt .01; Sioux City raining .06; Charles City .[illegible]; Des Moines [illegible]

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AUTO BURNS IN LOVINGTON FIRE

Lovington, Aug. 12. — The barns belonging to C. W. Dixon and Joe Foster were completely destroyed by fire Monday afternoon about 2:30. The two barns are adjoining.

The fire started from an unknown cause. Mr. Dixon had been in the barn only a few minutes before and there was no sign of fire then.

AUTO BURNS.

A five passenger Chevrolet car belonging to H. H. Cheever, which was in the Foster barn was totally destroyed. Most everything else in the two barns were saved. There was a small amount of insurance on both barns.

PERSONALS.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hout have received word that their son, Amos Hout who has been in the service almost two years has landed safely in this country and is now at Camp Merritt, expecting his discharge any day. He has written his parents that he expects to be home by Thursday, Mar., another son of Mr. and Mrs. Hout who enlisted in the navy for four years, and who has been on hospital duty for quite awhile at Portsmouth, Va., expects to have a furlough granted him within the next week or so. If he does he will come to Lovington to visit his parents.

J. S. Strohm and family and George Harris and family spent Sunday in Decatur.

Miss Hazel Lane of Danville who has been visiting Miss Thelma Parcon has returned to her home.

J. T. Wellman and family have moved from their farm south of Lovington to town. Mr. Wellman recently purchased the property on South Broadway belonging to Mrs. Mary Selby.

Mrs. Delia Woods of Sullivan is visiting Mrs. O. T. Atchison.

Charles Colbert of Mowaqua spent Sunday here with Mrs. J. A. Green.

Revilo Bailey of Springfield is the guest of his uncle, John Y. Bailey.

Margaret and Helen Shirey are spending the week at Woodbine.

Household Fashions

Ways to Cook the Green Corn

BY BIDDY BYE.

Every good American is revelling in his own native dish these days — literally up to his ears in sweet green corn!

No need to compete with the poets in the praise of this most delectable summer vegetable—only need to suggest the only proper way to cook it and still more ways to serve it.

At its best green corn is only boiled a little in salted water. The chef at a famous hotel serves and cooks it this way.

Salt water to taste and bring fully to the boiling point. Husk the corn, but do not remove the soft inner husk lying directly next the grain. Put the ears into the salted water, bring to a boil again and cook rapidly for six minutes.

Another method is baked steamed corn, prepared as follows:

To prepare the corn strip back the husks but do not remove them. Strip off the silk, replace the husks over the grains, and soak the ears in cold water for two hours. Have the oven very hot, lay the corn in a deep baking or dripping pan, cover well with a lid or another pan and steam 155 minutes. Send the corn to the table hot and covered with a napkin.

CORN PUDDING

Choose 6 ears of fresh, tender green corn, and score the rows down the center and grate it from the cob. Beat the whites and yolks of 2 eggs separately. Add the beaten yolks to 1 tablespoonful of melted butter and ½ tablespoonful of sugar. Beat all very light and add 1 pint of milk and ¼ teaspoonful of salt. Blend well and add the grated corn. Beat again then add the whites of the eggs beaten to a stiff froth. Fold in the whites, pour in a greased baking dish and set in the oven covered with a piece of brown paper. Bake slowly for an hour, serve hot, removing paper to let brown at the last moment.

CORN FRITTERS.

Grate 6 ears of tender sweet corn from the cob. Beat 1 egg well, white and yolk together, and slowly add the grated corn beating it in thoroughly. Add 1 tablespoonful of melted butter and ¼ pint of milk. Add 1 tablespoonful of flour or just enough to thicken. Drop by spoonfuls in hot fat and brown. Serve with chicken or crisp bacon.

Pledge $15.

The Married Ladies' class of the Third United Brethren church met Monday night. Ten women were present. They pledged $15 to the church budget for next year. The treasurer reported that all bills were paid and that there was some money in the treasury. The hostess served refreshments. The next meeting will be held the first Monday in September, with Mrs. John Collins, 1212 East Logan street.

GARDEN FROCK OF MIDSUMMER

BY BETTY BROWN.

For the maiden who longs to look simply delectable in "his" eyes—and the eyes of the world, there is no better recipe for a frock than this one sketched for Fashion Art. It is created of flesh pink chiffon over pink silk, and combined with an artful arrangement of creamy filet lace and French blue picot-edged ribbon girdle. The costume is completed by a wide-brimmed horsehair hat in orchid shades and sheltered by a rose pink parasol.

GOT CONSENT OF THIRTY TO WED

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—Winning consent from thirty "parents" to marry one woman is the experience of George E. Carnes, 58 years old, who recently was married to Mrs. Anna Waite, 55, a widow.

The couple has resided at the Memorial Home for the Aged here for two years, and lately Carnes proposed marriage to Mrs. Waite. Under a rule of the institution she was compelled to refer him to the board of directors, composed of 30 members.

Carnes communicated with each one separately and gained unanimous consent.

TELLS OF U. S. ARMY SECRET AGENTS

Shelby Man Gives Some Facts from Inside.

Shelbyville, Aug. 12.—"That the Germans had a wonderful secret service system, but that the Americans had one equally as good and even 'beat them at their own game,'" was declared by Captain Carl F. Lauer, former pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church here, but during the war assistant chief of staff, General Headquarters, 33d Division, in an address at the Shelbyville chautauqua Monday afternoon.

CHANGED FROM CHAPLAIN.

Captain Lauer went into service as a chaplain, but because of his peculiar fitness for the work was transferred to the intelligence service.

In his address Monday Captain Lauer told with considerable detail of the avenues through which the intelligence department, upon which the other branches of the service leaned heavily, gleaned the information that was so essential to the success of the allied arms. He told of the organization of the division, but dwelt particularly on the intelligence service, which operated through three branches or sections: Direct information, through patrols and raids, the air or observation service, and interrogation of prisoners; the secret service, and the topographic service.

When an order came to get information, he said, there was no question as to the method by which the order should be carried out; but they simply "got it." He declared that the intelligence service consisted of a highly specialized personnel, with the exception of himself, who had not been trained to that work.

PRAISE SHELBY BOY.

In this connection Captain Lauer paid a glowing tribute to a Shelbyville boy, Sam C. Davis, who two years ago enlisted as a private in Company H and quickly won for himself a lieutenant's commission. Davis, he said, was the best man in the intelligence service of the 33d division; that he took hard, desperate chances repeatedly, but that when he turned in his report every morning Captain Lauer did not take the trouble to check it up, for he knew he could bank on it, and Davis never misled him, either intentionally or by reports colored by his own opinions.

Captain Lauer told of some instances of interrogation of prisoners, most of whom were willing to talk, though a few refused as a matter of honor. The attitude of the latter was respected and they were not pressed to divulge information; unless it was very essential that they should; then by diplomatic questioning or round about discussion of certain phases they were led to tell what they knew.

"CROOKED THEIR FINGERS.

It was difficult, he declared, to get the men to bring in live prisoners, which were the only kind that were of use to the intelligence service—when the doughboys got their eyes on a Hun, they could scarcely refrain from crooking their fingers, which were on the trigger of their guns. From the cap, the shoulder strap, the cockade and the little personal record book of each soldier much could be learned, and then with this information in hand it was easier to get him to talk.

Captain Lauer himself examined and interrogated more than 3,000 enemy prisoners.

He stated that at times they found German intelligence officers within the American lines, either in American or French uniform, but when they were detected in signalling from a tree, tapping the wires or in other manner revealing their true character, they were not left to repeat the offense.

SAW NO ATROCITIES.

Captain Lauer declared that though he watched diligently for the atrocities of which so much has been told, he saw none, and that while he does not question the authenticity of the story of the Canadian officer who was bayoneted to the side of a barn, he cannot believe the stories of the general mutilations that have been told as facts. He said that every house, well, bridge, culvert was mined, and the Germans he branded as the "best apostles of absolute destruction" the world has ever known.

They were warned of poisoned wells, he stated, but found none; though after the armistice was signed and the formerly German occupied territory was invaded, they found plenty of phials labeled bacteria and bearing the warning that they were not to be opened under any circumstances, except in the laboratory. What was in them he could not say, for though a bacteriologist who was with them wanted to investigate them, he was forbidden by the high officers.

BELGIAN FARMERS GROW RICH.

Captain Lauer charged that the Belgian farmers had grown immensely rich through the war—that the deposits in the Farmers banks throughout that country had increased, from 3,000,000 francs in 1911 to more than 50,000,000 francs early in 1919. He made the specific charge also that the Belgian will not work, as they are being paid five francs a day by the government, and he strongly opposed the extension of material help to a people who would not help themselves.

AGAINST LEAGUE.

He did not like them, he said, did not like the French, was in fact opposed to the "whole breed" over there, and that was why he was "against the league of nations."

PARK LIGHTS OUT.

A runaway accident at Forest park about 9 o'clock Saturday evening left the auditorium and grounds in darkness for a half hour, save for the beams of kerosene oil lamps that were hurriedly requisitioned from tents and cottages to be used as footlights for the charming little ladies of the ballet, and the headlights of automobiles that were rolled up to the doors of the building.

The sudden precipitation into darkness was caused by a runaway horse dashing into a guy wire of an electric light pole near the entrance to the grounds, and the rebound of the pole snapped the wire carrying current to the grounds. Rapid work on the part of the light people soon restored light, and the show went on.

No one was hurt in the accident but the horse was cut up considerably.

Attorney W. L. Kelley has been appointed by Judge A. J. Steidley as appraiser of the estate of the late Martha Fearman of Windsor, to fix the amount of inheritance tax due.

County Clerk Ed R. Allen and Deputy E. A. Johnston are busy preparing the supplies for the primary election that is to be held on Tuesday, Sept. 16, for the nomination of delegates to the Illinois constitutional convention. F. R. Dove, democrat, and W. H. Chew, republican, are Shelby county candidates for nomination in the 40th district.

VANDALIA.

G. A. A. Dieckmann was in St. Louis Sunday to see his brother-in-law, A. F. Smith, who is in the hospital at that place. Mr. Smith is not doing well since he had his hand mashed in the printing press about ten days ago and was taken to the hospital last week for treatment.

Born, Friday, Aug. 8, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Goodbrake, a daughter.

C. R. Jarrett has sold his home to William Eakins, who will occupy the same as his home. His home in the north part of the city will be occupied by his son, John Eakins and family.

K. B. Mills has sold his residence to John Stubblefield. Mr. Mills has purchased the property of John Taylor now occupied by Arthur Webb and family.

Dr. and Mrs. L. T. Wilson left Tuesday to visit relatives in Jonesboro, Ark.

Charles Day and wife of Chickasha, Okla., are visiting his father, William Day in Otego.

Miss Isabelle Perine left Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. S. B. Goatley in Boston.

Mrs. H. B. Craycroft and son are visiting relatives in Pana.

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FAY L. GRAYBILL WEDS MISS AYRES

Ceremony in Bride's Home in Springfield.

The wedding of Miss Eloise Ayres of Springfield and Fay L. Graybill of Decatur, took place at high noon Tuesday in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ayres, 819 South Douglas avenue, Springfield. Miss Arminda Jones was the bridesmaid and Leo C. Graybill, brother of the groom, was the best man. Ribbon bearers were Florence Murray and Bessie Smith. The ceremony was performed by Rev. A. C. Piersol of Bloomington.

Preceding the ceremony music was furnished by Miss Wilberna Ayres sister of the bride, and Wallace Grieves of the Springfield College of Music and Allied Arts, the latter playing the violon. They also played the wedding march.

Yellow and white were the colors carried out for the wedding.

The couple will take a wedding trip after which they will go to Great Falls, Mont., where they will make their home. Mr. Graybill, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Graybill of Decatur will practice law, at Great Falls.

The bride, who is a graduate of the James Millikin university and has a large number of friends in Decatur has been honored with a number of social events since the announcement of her engagement was made. The last one was a luncheon given at noon Monday at the St. Nicholas hotel in Springfield by her aunt, Dr. Pauline Mantel. Members of the wedding party were the guests.

Among the guests at the wedding today were Mr. and Mrs. Graybill and family of Decatur.

Mrs. Frances Marshall and her brother, S. W. Ehrman, formerly of this city, spent the week-end in Indianapolis with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Crumbaker. They drove over. Mr and Mrs. Crumbaker's little son is growing fast and is a fine little youngster.

Mr. Ehrman came to Decatur with Mrs. Marshall when she returned from her stay in the north. He went from Minneapolis to Duluth and then took the Canadian line of steamers to Traverse City. From there he went to Leland, Mich., where he met his sister.

ZETA TAU ALPHA active and alumnae will have a meeting Wednesday evening at the home of Misses Violet and Adeline Mattes, 854 West Decatur street. At this time a full report will be made of the national convention held last week at Chicago. Following the meeting there will be a social time.

Mrs. J. F. Mattes, Mrs. E. D. Mattes and W. N. Roeder have gone to New York, where they will spend two weeks, and from there will go to the Adirondacks to visit two brothers of Mrs. J. F. Mattes and Mr. Roeder.

The golf play at the Country club Wednesday will be for the president's cup and it is expected that there will be a large number of women out. This is one of the interesting events of the year among the women golfers.

Splendid Way To Reduce Your Weight

There is perhaps no one thing that so plainly shows the passing of our youth as the horrible tendency to put on too much weight after we have reached the age of 25 or 30 years. However young our faces may appear, the sagging, flabby figure and forty inch waist "gives us away."

The cause of this over stoutness is that our stomachs convert the food we eat into fat because there is not enough oxygen in the blood to produce a proper combustion to destroy the excess fatty tissue. Fat people will be pleased to learn of a simple home method that is wonderfully efficient in reducing weight, quickly and easily without a starving diet, violent massage or strenuous exercise. Go to any drug store and get a box of Phynolin; take five grains after each meal and at bed time. This treatment will often give quick relief from overburdening fat. Phynolin taken at meal time assists the stomach in giving you the benefit of the food you eat; at the same time dissolves the fatty tissue from any part of the body where there is excessive fat. By this method many have reduced their weight a pound a day and there is no flabbiness left. Decatur Drug Co., and Shilling Drug Co., can supply you with the genuine Phynolin at a small cost.

PRETTY WEDDING AT CONKLIN HOME

A pretty event was the wedding of Miss Diane Conklin and Carl V. Becker Monday evening at the Conklin home, 223 South Edward street. The ceremony which was performed in the living room at 8 o'clock, took place before an altar of ferns and pink and white flowers. Dr. Freeman A. Hayghurst, pastor of the First Methodist church, officiated in the place of Rev. E. M. Antrim of Springfield, who was prevented from coming to Decatur by an injury received in an accident Monday.

The only attendants at the wedding were the two little flower girls, Charlotte Conklin and Florence Mildred Jones, and the ringbearer, Mary Milligan of Springfield. Roses in ivory baskets were carried by the little flower girls.

The bride wore a lovely gown of white embroidered net over white satin with court train of brocaded satin. She wore a tulle veil. Little Miss Conklin was dressed in orchid organdy, Miss Jones in pink organdy and Miss Milligan in blue organdy.

Clarke Uhler sang before and after the ceremony. Preceding the service he sang "Oh, Perfect Love," and after the ceremony "I Love You Truly." Mrs. Forrest Wikoff played Mendelssohn's wedding march and during the service she played "Hearts and Flowers," very softly.

A wedding supper followed the ceremony, and afterwards the couple left for a motor trip, but did not tell their destination. They will be back in Decatur at least for a time, though their future plans are not definitely made.

Only members of the immediate families and the members of the Service club and their husbands were guests at the wedding.

Mr. Becker is the son of Mrs. Caroline Becker of Springfield, and only recently returned from two years' service overseas. The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Conklin. She has been prominent in social circles and in war activities, especially as a Red Cross worker and a member of the Motor Corps. The couple received many handsome wedding gifts.

The out of town guests present were Mrs. Caroline Becker, Frank Becker, Mrs. Louise Graser and Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Millikin of Springfield and Mrs. J. Risch of Chicago.

Fraternities and sororities at the University of Illinois are planning to take a slap at the H. C. L. by taking advantage of the sale of foodstuffs offered by the government. Most of them are arranging to buy quantities of supplies from the government. Heretofore they have done most of their buying through wholesale grocery houses.

MISS ANNA NEW MARRIED RECENTLY

Announcements have been received in Decatur of the marriage of Miss Anna Catherine New, graduate of the James Millikin university in 1913 and a charter member of Tau chapter, Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, to Roy Edward Gibson at Alton. The bride has been teaching in Alton for the last two years.

The wedding took place at the home of the bride in Elizabeth, Ind., on Saturady, Aug. 9. The couple will make their home in Alton.

Miss New was one of the highest honor students at Millikin, being a member of the Kappa society.

Life's Lighter Hours

The Wee Wee club will meet Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. H. B. Shaw, 128 North Jasper street.

The Buclila club will meet Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joseph Waite, 1326 North Church street.

COMET BAND TO GO TO WOODBINE

Will Give Concert Sunday, August 17, in Afternoon.

The Comet band will go to Woodbine park Sunday, Aug. 17, to give a concert. A large number of Decatur people are expected to go to hear the concert. The concert will start at 3 o'clock.

P. T. HICKS HAS 100 FOOT WELL

Strikes Fine Stream of Water at Oakdale Home.

Engineer P. T. Hicks, who is building a new home on Cobb avenue, in Oakdale addition, has put down a 100 foot bored well, using a three inch pipe. In the last fifty feet, he struck a fine sand yielding up a good return of water. Sinking a well in the city in the present day is a little unusual as health officials do not look on wells with favor. However, Engineer Hicks, put this down more as a precautionary step. He believes the well will be safe from contamination as that section of the city is practically new, was farm land only a few years ago, and all the houses around there are modern and without barnyards. The temperature of the water raised in the well was 52 degrees, which is unusually low.

EDITH JIMISON NOW IN ARIZONA

Taught in Honolulu Last Year—Home About Holidays.

Miss Edith Jimison, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jimison, 751 South Webster street, is doing special physical training work in San Antonio, Texas this summer. She will teach there during the coming school year. Last year she taught in Honolulu. She expects to be home on a visit some time before the holidays.

OPEN HOUSE FOR EASTERLY CAMP

Program Will be Given Wednesday Night in Hall.

The Modern Woodmen, Easterly Camp, No 1026, will hold an open house, followed by a dance, for members and friends, in the K. of P. hall, Powers building, Wednesday night. A program has been arranged for the fore part of the evening, and following this, refreshments will be served. The program as arranged, follows:

Song—Quartet.
Piano Solo—Myrtle Randall.
Reading—Bernice Coles.
Song—Quartet.
Solo—Nellie Orey.
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$6.50 Junior Ging'm Dresses $3.98

Clever Junior dresses, sizes 15, 17, 19, tunic effect with tie around sash and trimmed with white pique collar made of smart plaids in French ginghams, assorted dark and light color combination dresses, made to sell at $5, $5.95, $6.50 sale price **$3.98**

50c Windsor Plisse Crepe 39c

To quickly close out 12 pieces of Windsor Plisse Crepes, 28 inches wide in white, blue and pink, backgrounds with neat rose bud and blue bird pattern soft finish for gowns and underwear. 50c seller for **39c**

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100 remnants filet curtain nets and marquisette fabric, 6½ yards and under, that sold from 35c to 50c a yard, at a yard **15c**

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Boston	37	54	.407
Philadelphia	35	55	.389
St. Louis	33	59	.359

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Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Bloomington	62	35	.639
Peoria	60	39	.606
Rockford	51	50	.505
Evansville	47	47	.500
Terre Haute	40	50	.444
Moline	34	67	.313

GAMES TODAY.

American.
St. Louis at Boston.
Detroit at Philadelphia.
Cleveland at New York.

National.
New York at Brooklyn.

Three-I.
Evansville at Terre Haute.
Rockford at Moline.
Peoria at Bloomington.

MONDAY'S RESULTS.

American.
Chicago, 7-14-0; Washington, 4-8 5. Batteries—Williams and Schalk, Harper, Zachary, Gill and Agnew.
Boston, 1-6 0; St. Louis, 0-4-1. Batteries—Pennock and Schang, Sothoron and Severeid.
Detroit, 7-11 0 Philadelphia, 1 7-2. Batteries—Dauss and Ainsmith; Naylor, Kinney and Perkins.
Cleveland 15-15-1; New York, 0-11 3. Batteries—Bagby, Myers and O'Neill; Quinn, Shore, Smallwood, O'Doul and Ruel.

National.
Philadelphia 5-0-5. Cincinnati, 3 5-0. Batteries—Rixey and Adams; Eller, Luque and Hargrave.
Pittsburgh, 5-8-1; Brooklyn, 2-6-2. Batteries—Miller and Lee; Smith and M. Wheat.

HAMMOND TO HAVE FOOTBALL TEAM

Hammond, Aug. 12.—The Hammond Independent Foot Ball team has been organized for the season of 1919. A stock company to back the team has sold 50 shares of stock. The team has several open dates and would like to book games for Sunday's only. E. H. Leavitt is the manager of the team.

GRAND AMERICAN HANDICAP AUG. 15

Tournament Now in Progress in Chicago.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—The Grand American Trapshooting Tournament which is being held at the South Shore Country club this week, will come to a close Friday, Aug. 15, with the shooting of the Grand American handicap, from which the tournament derives its name. The Grand American has been held yearly since 1900, and was first won by R. O. Heikes, at New York. At that time the number of entries was 74. The number of entries this year, the twentieth of the shoot, is more than 680, and it is said that post entries may bring the number up to 800.

This is the third year that the shoot has been held at the South Shore Country club, and the seventh time it has been in Chicago. No shooter has won the event twice. Last year's winner was J. D. Henry. The winner of the Grand American handicap with the place where the tournament was held and the number of entries follows:

Year	Winner	Where Held	No of Ent.
1900	R. O. Heikes	New York	71
1901	E. C. Griffith	New York	77
1902	C. W. Floyd	New York	[illegible]
1903	M. Diefendorfer	Kansas City	192
1904	R. D. Gevtell	Indianapolis	226
1905	R. B. Barber	Indianapolis	372
1906	F. E. Rogers	Indianapolis	290
1907	J. Banks	Chicago	405
1908	Fred Hallow	Columbus	362
1909	Fred Shattuck	Chicago	457
1910	Riley Thompson	Chicago	381
1911	Harvey Dixon	Columbus	418
1912	W. H. Phillips	Springfield	377
1913	M. S. Houtman	Dayton	501
1914	W. Henderson	Dayton	511
1915	L. L. Clarke	Chicago	881
1916	J. R. Wolf	St. Louis	681
1917	C. H. Larsen	Chicago	808
1918	J. D. Henry	Chicago	620

SPORT SUMMARY

Syracuse, N. Y.—Mike O'Dowd outfought Jackie Clark in ten rounds.

Jersey City, N. J.—Battling Levinsky outfought Clay Turner in eight rounds.

Philadelphia.—Benny Leonard outpointed Irish Patsy Cline in six rounds. Joe Welling was given the popular decision over Johnny Dundee, Eddie Morgan and Johnny Nealy boxed to a draw. Charlie White outpointed Harry Pierce. Joe Benjamin outpointed Al Thompson.

NORMAN G. WANN TO BE HOME SOON

Believed to Have Landed in New York Recently.

The arrival of Norman G. Wann in Decatur is expected at any time as it is known that he has arrived in this country and is probably at New York with Mrs. Wann who went east to meet him.

No direct word from Mr. Wann himself has been received by Dr. A. R. Taylor, president emeritus of Millikin, but the latter has received a letter from an official of the army Y. M. C. A. at New York in which high appreciation of the work of the Millikin athletic coach for his work abroad is expressed.

PRAISES WORK.

In the letter the New York "Y" official says of Mr. Wann:

"He has held very responsible positions as athletic director in St. Omer and Lodians and as coach of the A. E. F. teams for the inter-allied games where he rendered valuable service. We are very grateful not only to him for his valuable service but to James Millikin university for having lent him to us. We feel sure that you can consider that his release for the period he was away from the university was a very effective contribution to our war work."

GRAND CIRCUIT ON PHILADELPHIA TRACK

Philadelphia, Aug. 12.—Two stake events and two open classes made up the card for the opening today of the third annual grand circuit meeting at the old Belmont Driving club's mile track, Narberth, Pa. Purses and stakes, including one for trotting teams aggregate more than $30,000, and it is expected that about 150 trotters and pacers will start in the 16 events on the four days' program.

The $3,000 Hotel Adelphia stake for 2:06 pacers and the Director's stake for 2:20 trotters owned in Philadelphia, were the opening day's features.

ROBERT KINSELLA GOES TO GIANTS

Little Rock, Ark., Aug. 12.—President R. G. Allen of the Little Rock club of the Southern association last night announced the sale of outfielder Robert Kinsella to the New York national league club. He is the son of Dick Kinsella, scout for the New York club.

CENTENNIALS TO PLAY COMETS

Game Will Be on Staley Field Sunday Afternoon.

The Comets will play the Springfield Centennials on the Staley field at 3:30 next Sunday afternoon. The Centennials are a fast bunch of players and the Comets look for a good game next Sunday. The Staley teams will be in Indianapolis and the Staley grounds are thus used by the Comets.

DRESSEN'S SINGLE WINS THE GAME

Pounded Out Bingle at Right Time in Rockford Monday.

Charley Dressen, former Staley player, now with Moline, won the game against Rockford Monday by his single in the seventh inning. Although the Moline bunch got but four hits, two of these came together. Wagner, Moline third baseman doubled, and Dressen followed with a single that drove in the only run.

MORRISONVILLE.

Mrs. C. D. Meyers returned Friday from her visit to Owaneco.

Mrs. Ray L. Friday of Louisville, Ky., is here visiting her father, W. F. Langen.

Edward Hess is here from Canada visiting his mother, Mrs. Samuel Hess.

Mrs. A. B. Walker was in Decatur Friday.

Mrs. Alice Offlihter and daughter Miss Hallie of Lebanon are guests of William Lewis.

T. C. Dodson of Girard was here Saturday visiting friends.

John Walch and daughter Miss Anna were in Nokomis and Pana Friday.

The Misses Dean and Francis Poggenpohl returned Saturday from their trip to Niagara Falls.

Otto Ganer, Jr., came up from St. Louis Saturday to spend Sunday with home folks.

Miss Elizabeth Kinney returned Saturday from Champaign where she was attending school.

Clelia Langen arrived Saturday from Hannibal, Mo., to visit his father, W. F. Langen.

Mrs. Ted Gumm and children of Carpenter and Mrs. Mary Gumm of Raymond came up Saturday night to visit relatives.

E. D. Greene went to St. Louis Saturday.

Rev. C. W. Young and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clower went to Pana Saturday.

Mrs. L. I. Smith was down from Palmer Saturday visiting relatives.

Clarence Smith of Decatur was here Saturday visiting friends.

Mrs. Mynha Miniklin returned Saturday from her visit with Mr. and Mrs. John Miniklin of Argenta.

Miss Maymo Curran of Raymond was here Saturday the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. A. Cashin.

Frank Ambers arrived Saturday from Macon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schweitzer.

Mrs. Morsch of St. Louis is here the guest of Mrs. G. F. Puzey.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Demming of Taylorville were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Greene.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Pearson and children, Mrs. H. J. Dee and Harry Dee were in Hillsboro Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Isaacs.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Tomlinson were here from St. Louis Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Leston.

Frank Wilnetz of Gillespie, Emil Wilnetz of Mt. Olive and Miss Florence Wandling of Litchfield were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wilnetz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newport of Filmore were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Newport.

L. L. Sternberg, Miss Eulalia Keimel and John Ganer motored to Chicago Sunday afternoon.

Hubert Manning who attends military academy at West Point is home visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Manning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson were in Taylorville Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ryon.

Miss Daisy Kenny was in St. Louis Monday buying goods for the Home Dry Goods Co.

Mrs. Louis Rittger and Mrs. M. A. Johnson were in Taylorville Monday.

BOODY.

Mrs. Adeline Nientker returned to her home in Decatur Saturday after a two weeks' visit here with her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Wise.

Gus Johns and wife of Pekin visited relatives and friends here last week.

Miss Cordelia Johnson is visiting at Villa Grove with her uncle Henry Johnson and family.

Mrs. Earl Weatherford and daughter, Nitulie of Decatur and Mrs. Emery Brown of Blackland were guests of Miss Helen Nientker Friday.

Miss Vivian Moshbarger of Decatur visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Nolle and daughter Gladys and Glenn Nolle left Sunday for a trip to Wisconsin and Michigan.

Miss Helen Nientker was the guest of Miss Maude Knowles near Elwin Sunday.

A number from here attended the Home-coming party given by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bailey Thursday evening.

Miss Ethel Sackett of Blue Mound spent Sunday here with Miss Cleo Evans.

W. A. Burke and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Burke called on relatives in Dalton City Sunday.

Mrs. J. F. Nientker of Decatur is visiting Mrs. R. A. Thornell this week.

John Fouts is visiting his daughters at Sorento this week.

Blue Mound Township has 9 miles of all roads in one stretch from Charles Busan's to O. W. Chandler intersecting with the gravel road at the latter.

ILLIOPOLIS.

Miss Irene Marsh of Harristown was here Friday afternoon.

Rev. Fred Kline of Chatham, N. Y. visited here Friday.

Mrs. Omer Wilburn and daughter Pauline and Miss Louella Roberts were Decatur visitors Friday.

Mrs. S. E. Yocom of Riverton visited from Wednesday till Friday with her sister, Mrs. Z. D. Smith.

The Iliopolis Auxiliary of the C. W. B. M. will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. N. Briggs.

Samuel Fullerrider of Los Angeles, Calif. is here visiting W. M. Close.

Rev. C. F. Burnett, pastor of the Christian church of LaPlata, Mo., conducted the services here Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Johnson and daughters Miss Zedie and Norma have returned home after visiting with relatives in Schuyler county.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sutherland and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Yingling of Cleveland, Ohio, accompanied the former's daughter, Miss Jeanette to the Decatur hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Davis at Harristown visited relatives here Friday.

Mrs. T. J. Cox and Miss Myrtle Rager were Decatur visitors Friday.

Misses Viretta and Mildred Sutherland have returned home from a week's visit with Mrs. H. M. Wagner in St. Louis.

Mrs. Henry Boggs visited her daughter, Miss Blanche at St. John's hospital at Springfield Sunday.

Is Recovering.

Engineer S. G. Brecount of the Wabash has just returned from Wisconsin where he has been recovering from a long and severe illness. He was in the Wabash hospital in Decatur for several months.

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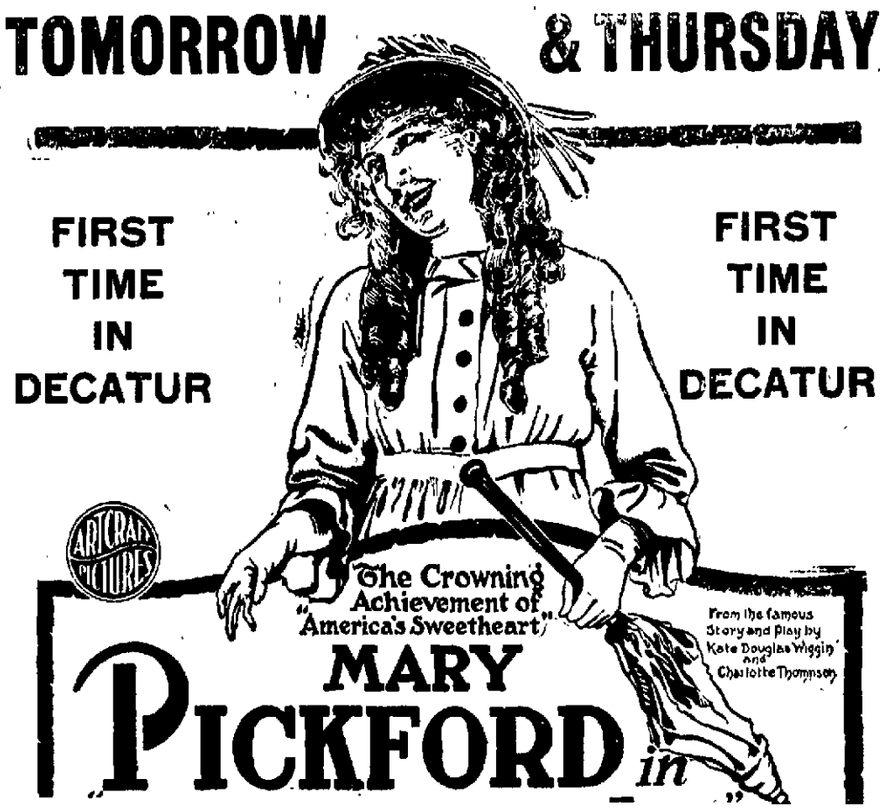

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It gave good service to the government, at reasonable costs. Beyond that, it afforded very substantial financial aid: $10,000,000 of its stock was loaned to the government and it bought, of the second Canadian loan, $12,477,000 of bonds. The British government has not yet paid for its service in full, nevertheless the road is prosperous and financially sound.

Nor has it done this by any inordinate raise in prices to the public. The shipper and passenger are pleased, as they are getting good service. On the other hand, its employees are well paid and have their full share in its prosperity. Threatened labor troubles were settled in advance, and it has had no strikes such as ours. Its men got the equivalent of the "McAdoo scale" as soon as ours did and they had received earlier advances.

All this has been done by wise intelligent honest individual management. Does any sane human being imagine it could be duplicated under or methods of muddle? Are we so much less intelligent and capable than our Canadian cousins?

About Town

THE theory that a man who is in business and takes a vacation is very anxious to get back into the harness again after a few days does not apply to John Hamman.

For thirty years John has been in the transfer business in Decatur and never until this year did he take a vacation but last week he returned from a loafing trip through Kansas and Oklahoma. He went on the train, he did not tour, and he is frank to say that he found loafing mighty easy and highly enjoyable.

Instead of being homesick for the business back home and having that feeling that he wanted to see the old desk again which the writers so often tell about, he says that he could have stood a much longer vacation and have enjoyed the laziness of it.

JESSE CORZINE, manager of the Decatur Coal Co. is trying to figure out whether he is an easy mark or whether he has been the victim of profiteering.

The other day "Jess" noticed that his necktie had brushed against some coal dust and he hastened to snap the offending smut off that tie.

In doing so he unwittingly flipped the tie over and at the same time knocked loose a price ticket which had been stuck to the under side of the tie, escaping his notice.

He picked up the ticket and was horrified as he looked at it to notice that it had originally been marked fifty cents but that the dealer had carefully rubbed out that price, at least he thought he had rubbed it out, and had remarked that tie $1.50.

Mr. Corzine is wondering if that tie was not one of a lot of half dollar stuff that would not sell at that price and the dealer concluded that it would probably go at $1.50. The coal dealer says he supposes he must have been the "fall guy" for that $1.50.

$100,000 CLUB CLOSES OUTING

Standard Life Agents Had Vacation in Wisconsin.

The members of the $100,000 club of the Standard Life Insurance Co., are returning from the annual outing which the company gives to agents who have sold $100,000 worth of life insurance during the preceding year. The trip this year was to the dells of the Wisconsin river and lasted about ten days, including trips to Devil's lake and Mirror lake.

J. R. Paisley, president of the company, and his family motored to Kilbourne, Wis., before the club members arrived and they also returned ahead of the outing party reaching Decatur last Saturday.

There were about twenty-five people in the club party.

Ten Years Ago Today In Decatur

AUGUST 12, 1909.

The Decatur Railway & Light Co., had to use extra cars on West Main street to accommodate people going to Fairview Park to hear a concert by Goodman band.

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Over 150 Decatur people left on the annual Wabash excursion to Niagara Falls. Over 1,200 went from Central Illinois.

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Pitcher "Benny" Jacobson was traded to Columbus for a Pitcher Moore, who had been with Newark in the Eastern League.

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Fred Grolla, miner at No. 2 shaft, Decatur Coal company, was badly burned by exploding gas in the mine.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Michael Hendrian, age 96 years, the oldest man in Decatur, died at his home, 1468 East Orchard.

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T. T. Springer traded his "Racket" store on North Water to Chas. Holloway of Mt. Vernon. The amount of cash involved was $2,500

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Vernon Henley and Miss Gertrude Neal were married.

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Franklin Shilling, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Shilling, celebrated his fifth birthday anniversary with a party.

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Attorney L. H. Shelley and Miss Mabel Lord were married.

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E. A. Denz left for New York to acquaint himself with fall styles of Milliron took Mr. Carnine's place as cashier at the People's Bank.

Mrs. H. E. Wernsing returned home Friday from a visit with relatives at Ingraham.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Wilcoxon of Cooks Mill spent Sunday with Joseph Black and family.

PETER *Goes Calling*

BY THE STORY LADY.

"Peter," said mama one hot afternoon, "I am going to call on Miss Lizzie Rice and as she has always thought so much of you I am going

They passed by the house where Mrs. White, mama's particular friend, [illegible] by his mother's side. [illegible] dressed in a white suit and trotting [illegible] remembered the sugar cookies that Miss Lizzie kept in the blue cookie jar in the pantry so he was soon to take you along."

Peter started to object then relived and Mrs. White called to mama to come in and see her new dress.

"I won't be gone but a minute, Peter," said mama and you wait right here by the gate in the shade."

So Peter waited—a while, then he peered in at the window and mama and Mrs. White were talking as if they would never stop, so he decided to explore a little. He wandered around the house and finding nothing of interest there on into the alley. He heard some yelling on the next street and joining a gang of boys arrived just in time to see a policeman separate two new boys. He followed the officer for a while as he marched off with a boy on each arm then he discovered a vacant house with a wonderful peach tree in the back yard. He just had an eager hand on a big red peach when with a sharp "wow-wow" a big dog came bounding over from the next yard, and Peter slid over the board wall into the yard across the alley just in time to save himself.

A kind looking old lady was tying up a grape vine.

"Why, bless my soul," she said, "if it isn't Peter Palmer. What's the matter?" For Peter burst into tears

"We was a coming to see you Miss Lizzie and mama stopped at Mrs. White's and I waited and waited and I got tired and walked around a little bit and a big dog chased me and I tore my pants and here I am."

Miss Lizzie took Peter in the house and fed him on sugar cookies while she mended the hole in the trousers, then Peter sped up the back way and came around the house just as mama came out of the door.

"When they arrived at Miss Lizzie she told him how glad she was to see him and told him that the cookie jar was in the same old place

"Do you know," said mama as he went out of the door, "Mrs. White detained me quite a little while and Peter just waited so patiently.

—Helen Carpenter Moore.

HUMPHREY FUNERAL IN ALLENVILLE

Allenville, Aug. 12.—Mrs. John H. Humphrey, aged eight-two years, died at her home Friday after a brief illness. She was born in Green county, Indiana in 1837. In 1857 she was married to William Gilbreath who died several years later. In 1881 she was married to John H. Humphrey, who survives her. She also leaves three children, Annie Gilbreath of Minnesota; Cicero Gilbreath and Mrs. Mary Knott of Allenville; two step children, Mrs. Percy Whittemore and Alva Humphrey of Charleston.

The funeral was held at the Christian church Sunday morning, the Rev Riley Ridgway officiating. Interment was at the French cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Humphrey and son Earl, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Whittemore of Charleston; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Winchester, Mr. and Mrs. Note Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Montonye, Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Martin and daughter Rowena of Mattoon, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Winchester of Sullivan were here Sunday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Humphrey.

Miss Gladys Preston is visiting relatives at Grechup.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hogue of Windsor visited Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carnine Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Jones was in Sullivan Friday.

Edward Robb who has been in the U. S. armq for two years, has received his discharge and is visiting relatives here.

Rev. Mr. Gloyd of Cooks Mill will preach at the M. E. church Sunday afternoon.

Misses Doris and Sybie French are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James French of Mattoon.

Miss Gladys Leeds is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Leeds of Findlay.

Miss Luvica Winchester of Sullivan visited here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Carnine returned home Friday from a visit at Cisne. During their absence Charles Hoots

BETHANY BAND MAKES BIG HIT

Shelbyville, Aug. 12.—The Bethany band made a big hit at the Shelbyville chautauqua Sunday. Several encores were required. Mrs. C. O. Tohill, soloist, sang with the band. Her selections were not too popular for the critics and yet not too classical for the general public.

The Bethany band organization is one of the best in central Illinois. The members of the band are good musicians. They embody in their programs classical music as well as popular songs and marches. The band is under the leadership of Prof Oscar Schwarze of Decatur.

"LITTLE THEATER" FOR CHAMPAIGN

Champaign, Aug. 12.—Champaign is to have an experimental theater—smaller, yet modeled after the pattern of the Little Theater of Chicago which works for the development of better drama in the community.

There are in Champaign and Urbana a group of people interested in dramatics who are willing to give their time and energy in the interest of better drama in this community. The auditorium of the Burnham Athenaeum on West Church street has been secured and this group will from time to time produce plays of strictly the better drama type. At first no admission will be charged. If later an admission fee is charged it will be small.

The first performance will be given about Oct. 1, and the first audience will be an invited one. Rehearsals are now being conducted.

The cast of the plays, however, will be restricted to residents, thus barring University students. A town person attending the university is eligible but an out of town person attending the U. of I. will not be eligible.

Stomach is Quick to Upset When School Children Are Idle

VACATION days are days of over-eating and under-exercising for most boys and girls. They loll around nibbling at light food, unconcerned whether the fruit is green or ripe.

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A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin can be bought at any drug store for 50c and $1, the latter the family size. A free trial bottle can be had by sending your address to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 480 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

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Besides effecting a saving in the addition of sales slips, this Burroughs is also a time-saver. With it the clerks can add up figures quicker than they can jot them down on paper—and the answer is always correct.

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Avoid This Fall's Higher Prices By An Immediate Purchase of the Rugs You Know You'll Have to Buy Later.

—September 1st will not only see rug prices at new high levels, but the demand will be all out of proportion to the supply.

—We predict that two months from now you'll have a hard time finding the rug you want at any price. There'll always be some rugs, of course, but we mean desirable stuff.

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$85 Wilton Rugs, $69.50
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Rugs For Your Big Rooms

—11 3x12 rugs in floral and oriental designs; regular $35 rugs for **$27.50**

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$18 Wool Fibres
$14.75
—They're 9x12 wool fibre rugs in good heavy weight; many colors and designs; excellent for use in all rooms. Worth $18 each. Remodeling Sale price, each $14.75.

$27.50 Brussels
$19.75
—Twenty-five of these 9x12-foot all-wool face tapestry Brussels rugs in small all-over and floral designs; today's best $25.00 and $27.50 rugs, to go at each $19.75.

$50 Axminsters
$39.75
—Full 9x12 Axminster rugs, some of which are made without any seams; a dozen different beautiful floral and small Oriental designs. Values to $50, $39.75.

Wall-Paper Bargains That

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30c Bed Room Papers, 15c
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SUSPECT GERMAN AGENTS DID WORK

Conductor Injured in 1917 By Explosion.

FILES $50,000 SUIT

James I. Moore Blinded for Life.

Did German agents attempt to destroy the East Decatur yards of the Wabash in 1917 or was the explosion on Aug. 15, 1917, just due to carelessness, throwing of a lighted match or something of that nature? This question comes up as a result of a $50,000 suit started in Sangamon county Monday against the Wabash by James I. Moore, of Springfield, former Wabash conductor who was injured in the explosion.

The cause of the explosion was never made public, but it was suggested at that time that some one had, in lighting a cigar or cigaret, carelessly tossed the match aside and caused the explosion. A story in a Springfield paper, indicates something else. The story as printed in Springfield, follows:

BLINDED FOR LIFE.

"Attempts of German agents in this country to destroy the East Decatur yards of the Wabash railroad, soon after the war was declared in 1917, are recalled in the $50,000 damage suit, brought by James Isaac Moore, a conductor, against the railroad, filed in the circuit court yesterday by Atty. Thomas J. Condon.

"James I. Moore, the plaintiff resides at 1236 East Stuart street, a man, blinded for life, and a nervous wreck. He had worked thirty years for the Wabash when the accident occurred. It was on Aug. 15, 1917, that the explosives in the East Decatur yards were discovered by Special Agent F. A. Thornell of the railroad.

TWO BOXES.

"There were two boxes of them each containing one hundred explosive caps, loaded, as government analysists found later, with fulminate of mercury, one of the highest, if not positively the highest explosive known. Thornell brought the box he found first to the platform of the caboose on which Mr. Moore was sitting.

"Ignorant of the contents, but suspecting danger, Moore says, he told Thornell to take them away. Instead, Thornell went back to hunt, and found the second box. He had returned to within 80 feet of the caboose when the explosion rent the air, seriously injuring Moore and also Brakeman F. A. Henry, 1131 South Twelfth street, this city, whose hand was partly blown off.

"It is the claim of Mr. Moore by his attorney that the act of the special agent, holds the company liable for the injury."

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This Subject of Bigger Business

The coming few years will write new history in the field of American business.

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SECURE TEACHER FOR UNIVERSITY

Katherine Cranor to Succeed Miss Dunlap.

Monday night Dr. J. C. Hessler, acting president of Millikin university, received a telegram from Miss Katherine Cranor who is attending the Teachers College at Columbia university and who was seen by Dr. Hessler last week regarding the position of head of the domestic art department at Millikin as successor to Miss Mabel Dunlap, accepting the position.

Miss Cranor was for two years assistant professor in the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, Neb., and previous to that time had studied costume designing in Paris.

DR. SMITH IN EAST.

Dr. W. W. Smith, head of the department of commerce and finance at Millikin, is now in the east where he is meeting candidates for the position in his department left vacant by the resignation of L. M. McDermott, professor of commerce.

NINE AIRPLANES WILL LAND HERE

Pathfinders on Big Tour Stay 30 Hours.

ALSO BRING TRUCKS

Roy Lovins, of Decatur, Is Member of Unit.

The "All-American Pathfinder Recruiting Unit" which is to make a trip across the United States and back for the purpose of laying out certain routes will spend a day in Decatur, according to Private Roy Lovins, former Decatur boy, who is in the unit. In a letter to Carl "Opie" Harry of the Decatur fire department, he gives the route of the unit through Illinois showing the various towns in this vicinity to be visited, and describes the party. Harry went into the service at the same time with Lovins and they were together in the army for awhile.

HAVE 108 MEN.

According to his letter, the unit has 108 men with it, carries nine aeroplanes and a large number of army trucks. They carry men from many different branches of service and will take pictures of the country they pass through from aeroplanes. They were scheduled to start from Hazelhurst field, Mineola, Long Island, Sunday, but it is understood the trip has been delayed until Wednesday. They pass across the northern part of the United States and in returning, go down by the southern route, requiring about nine months in all, to make the trip.

The letter does not give the dates that they will arrive in Illinois but does tell the proposed itinerary and length of stay in each town. Of course, any one who has been in the army knows how often army plans are changed and this schedule may be entirely upset before the unit arrives in Illinois.

ILLINOIS ITINERARY.

The first town they will reach in Illinois, as they came from the state of Indiana, will be Paris. They will visit Paris, Marshall, Charleston, Toledo, Newton and Effingham, in the order named, spending two days at Effingham. They then go across southern Illinois, touching Vandalia and Edwardsville and going to Scott Field at Belleville, where they spend five days. From there, they start to Rantoul and spend the following time in each town in this vicinity, on their way:

Taylorville, four hours.
Shelbyville, 24 hours.
Springfield.
Sullivan, 2 hours.
Decatur, 30 hours.
Clinton, 3 hours.
Monticello, 3 hours.
Tuscola, 4 hours.
Urbana, 24 hours.
Danville, 24 hours.
Rantoul, three days.

SERVICE BUREAU SECURES ROOM

Room Over Stouffer Garage to Store Goods.

The Social Service bureau has secured a room over the Stouffer Bros. garage, at the corner of North Main and West Eldorado street, as a store room. This room was secured through the efforts of Mrs. W. S. Epping-Burnett and is very convenient to the business section of the city and the office of the bureau.

Commissioner Alex Van Praag has notified the bureau that his department would move the stock of used clothing and shoes which the bureau has from the old to the new store room.

To Close Hut.

The executive committee of the Red Cross Canteen Hut met Monday night and officially decided to close the canteen hut for every day work. The canteen committee will remain organized however, and will be ready to serve any troop trains that come through Decatur. When all the troops are home from France some arrangements will be made to dispose of the hut.

Finishes Training.

Fred B. Bachman returned home Sunday night from Camp Custer where he has completed a six weeks course in the officers training camp. He was not trying for a commission. He has been a student in the Western Military Academy which entitled him to the six weeks of intensive military training at Camp Custer.

SOCIABILITY TOUR SET FOR SEPT. 7

Rotary Picnic Interferes with First Date.

The date for the next Sociability tour of the Association was set definitely for Sept. 7 at the meeting of the board of directors Monday night, the other date of Aug. 21 being abandoned when it was found that the Rotary club picnic had already been planned for that date. It is probable that this trip will be the Bloomington-Lincoln tour.

The board also voted an endorsement of the Cummins bill now before the house in congress which provides for the return of the railroads to the supervision of the interstate commerce commission at once rather than to wait until the end of the year.

TO HELP ELKS.

The directors also discussed the Elks state convention which will be held here in October and voted to do all in their power to make the event an enjoyable one for the visitors.

The propositions of three factories whose promoters have been anxious to locate in Decatur were talked over but no action was taken regarding them. All asked for financial assistance and the subsidizing of new factories is not a policy of this organization.

A number of reports were also read at the meeting.

BOY SCOUTS IN FROM BIG CAMP

All Seem to Have Gained in Weight in Last Two Weeks.

The first group of Boy Scouts finished their two weeks' camp at Faries park Monday, and all seemed to have a good time. The boys are weighed when they first enter the camp and when they leave and it is thought that each boy gained from five to nine pounds while at camp.

The helmet which was to be given for the highest grade in general efficiency, for passing the most tests, was awarded to Robert Schaub. Ribbons were awarded to the first and second baseball teams. The first was composed of Lynn Gebhart, Forest Andrews, Walter Kohr, Hugh Odor, Cecil Rau, Charles Metzel, Orville Parrish, Jerry Nicholson, L. F. Kinister, Robert Wheeler and Pyman.

The second was composed of Albion Leonard, Everett Evans, Delong Kennedy, Charles Hankins, Esmond Stouffer, Carl Moser, Harold Hale, Kyle Wiard, Stewart Sears, Samuel Bolin and Ivan Myers.

CO. H MEN WILL RECEIVE PAY

All Asked to Sign Payroll By Wednesday Night.

All Co. H men who have not signed the company's payroll relative to money due for services in Chicago, are asked to appear at the armory between the hours of 8 and 10 p.m. Wednesday evening, Aug. 13. Any men not complying with this order will deprive themselves of the last opportunity to draw their time for services, as the reports are to be forwarded to regimental headquarters late Wednesday night. There will be regular drill Friday night.

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The New Fall Suits Are Splendid Models

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Low Shoes Bought Now Spell Economy

For The Woman Planning Her Own Fall Costumes

New Laces and Trimmings

NOT all of us will purchase our suits and dresses all ready to wear for the coming autumn season.

That is plainly evident by the manner in which our new Woolens and Silks are going across the counter to customers every day.

So it is with real pleasure that we announce this week for the first time, the complete display of all the newest effects in every needed lace and trimming, including Vestings, Fringes, Crepes, Bandings, metal laces and bands, beading, buckles, slides, etc.

The woman with ideas of her own as to styles can, after she has chosen from our superior stocks of dress goods, turn across the aisle and fill every want in trimmings.

Here They Are, Wonderfully New and Likeable

Lace and Net Ruffled Vestings—In white and cream, 18 and 20 inches wide. Per inch—12½c to 27c.

Loop Fringes of Silk—In all shades, for edging collars, sleeves and tunics. Per yard—50c and $1.00.

New Printed Georgette Crepes—40 inches wide of unusual designs and colorings. Excellent quality of crepe. Per yard—$3.25 and $3.50.

Silk Striped Georgette Crepes—40 inches wide and heavy quality, in all staple and evening shades. Per yard—$3.50.

Bonnaz Bandings—The new braided effects from 2 to 5 inches wide, in all the popular shades. Per yard—$1.75 to $4.50.

New Yack Bandings—From 3 to 6 inches wide, in combinations of blue and tan; blue, gray and green; green, blue and rose, and others. Per yard—$4.50.

Bandings—Steel, opalescent and jet, for evening and street wear, in widths of from ¼ to 4 inches. Per yard—12½c to $6.50.

Metal Laces and Bands—In gold, silver, antique and steel, from 1 to 9 inches wide. Per yard—75c to $4.50.

Tassels and Drops—All kinds of Bead, Irridescent and Jet tassels and drops. Each—10c to $2.00.

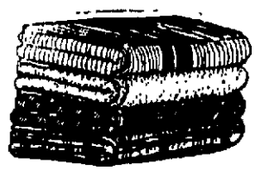
Buckles and Slides—Celluloid, pearl and smoked pearl; for belts from 1 to 6 inches wide. Each—10c to $2.00.

Plain Silk Georgette Crepes—New plain all-silk Georgette crepes, 40 inches wide, in all colors. Per yard—$2.50.

Dainty Baby Yokes—Dainty Swiss and Cambric Baby Yokes, with round, square or V-neck. Each—25c to $1.00.

Big Values In Blankets

Going Out of Our Store Every Day



The August Blanket Sale is having an immediate response that makes it one of the most worth-while sales events of the August program.

When you consider the prices at which Woolens are now selling wholesale, and the continued shortage of Wool caused by conditions at the sources of supply, the prices at which we offer Blankets during this sale are so low as to excite wonder among those acquainted with present conditions and probable conditions in the near future.

Fine Woolen Blankets—$9.50 to $16.50.
Nashua Cotton Fleece Blankets—$2.69 to $3.69.
Nashua Woolnap Blankets—$4.50 to $6.50.

Special prices on Slightly Soiled Blankets, Woolnap, Cotton Fleece and Woolen.

The Recent Advance In FURS

—does not affect the furs in our great August sale as the pelts, the finest obtainable, were bought before the advance.

This sale offers a remarkable variety of carefully selected garments, a wealth of pelts from which to choose, and savings of 25% to 35% over what you will pay in November.

Your purchases in this August Sale will not appear until the November statement is mailed.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the many friends and neighbors for the kindness shown during the sickness and death of our husband and father. Also those who furnished cars. Mrs. Henry Tueting and Daughters.

LOST AND FOUND

Lost — Strand of large, pink Venetian beads. Liberal reward. 245 W. North St.

Lost — Pocket book containing checks made payable to W. J. Whalen; also Moose receipts and cash. Moose lodge initials on outside. Cash as reward. Return to 117 N. Broadway.

Lost—Keys and ring. Send to National Bank of Decatur, for $1 reward.

Lost—Pocket book containing about $5.00, between First and Grover on Cantrell. Call Main 330. Reward.

Will the party that picked up automobile crank on E. Cerro Gordo, at noon Saturday please return to 235 E. Eldorado or 417 Stewart Ave. Main 1635.

Lost—A Boston bull dog, white face, 1 blue eye, 1 brown. Return to 246 E. King. Main 2775.

Stolen—Black, white and brown beadle hound, with harness on. A reward will be given for any information. Call Main 1814 or 1175 E. Rodgers.

Lost—Elk pin, gold head, with small stone set in antlers. Reward for return to Howard M. Onyett, 135 N. Main St, Decatur, Ill.

Strayed — From 535 S. Stuel, a Brindle Boston Terrier puppy 8 months old, white on face breast and front feet. Reward for return to Mrs. Edith Haines, Main 3765.

Strayed or Stolen—White cat, liberal reward. Phone Main 2682, 272 W. Cerro Gordo.

WANTED—POSITIONS.

Wanted—Position on farm near Decatur by young married man. 1514 N. Gulick.

Wanted — Place in country by married man to work by the month. Address H-255 care of Review.

Wanted — Position as housekeeper by young widow with six year old son. City preferred. None but respectable gentlemen need apply. Ans. H-312 care of Review.

Wanted — Position by experienced young man with H. S. education and knowledge of typewriting in clerical work or work in office of store. H-140 care of Review.

WANTED—SALESMEN.

I want an ambitious and industrious salesman for a high grade and very attractive field of business with a responsible organization. Will pay $5,000 yearly to right man. Address H 404 care of Review.

Salesmen Wanted — several high class men for sales work in northern Illinois. Straight salary and expense. Experience not absolutely necessary, as we train our men, but preference given to men having sales or soliciting experience and to men who own cars. Address E. M. Miller, care Fey Hotel, Dept. 2 Peoria, Ill.

WANTED—HELP

Wanted—Night cook that can do pastry work and take care of short orders. Good pay, steady job. Phone, write or wire Throm's Cafe, Mattoon, Ill.

Census Clerks, (men, women), 4,000 needed, $92 month. Age 18 upward. Experience unnecessary. For free particulars of examinations write Raymond Terry (former government examiner), 319 Continental Bldg., Washington.

Wanted—Experienced stenographer, thoroughly capable. Call Mr. Beck, Main 517.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY
Person to subject self to blood transfusion; liberal compensation; apply Drs. Brown and Jack or S. A. Grace, 1011 E. Main.

WANTED—MALE HELP.

Wanted—Union barber, $20; guarantee job $25 to $35 per week. White Palace Barber Shop, 161 E. Prairie.

Wanted—Baker helper. Apply at National Bakery.

Wanted—Barber, guarantee, $20 per week good for $30 or 70 per cent. C. L. Tavenner, Monticello, Ill.

Wanted—Real estate, lawyer or insurance man, who would like to increase present earnings. Write Address H-405 care of The Review.

Wanted—Two first class painters, Monday morning. Call F. W. Ayers, Main 2663.

Wanted—Men to learn barber trade. Few weeks. Better demand, bigger wages than ever. Earn while learning. Catalog mailed free. Moler Barber College, 105 S. Wells street, Chicago.

Wanted—2 first class all round machinists. William Bald Machine Shop, 116 S. State St.

Wanted — One Woodworker, bench hand 20th Century Mill Co. 510 Wabash Ave.

Wanted—A tinner. Apply at N. Fahay's Hardware Store, at 1102 E. Eldorado.

Wanted—A steady first class barber. Mich. Kuhn, Pana, Ill.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP.

Wanted— Woman cook and woman dish washer. Apply 571 N. College.

Wanted—Girl or woman for light housework for one week. 2224 Graceland Ave.

Wanted — Middle-aged or young woman for rug weaving. One with some experience preferred. Decatur Carpet & Rug Co. 259 E. Main St.

Wanted—Chamber maids. Apply to housekeeper, Hotel Orlando.

Permanent position open for sales ladies. S. S. Kresge Co.

Wanted — Dining room girl at Kraft Hotel.

Wanted—Woman to do cleaning by day. Main 686.

Wanted—Woman to work in lunch room. Call 110 E. Wood St.

Wanted—Young lady about 21, living at home with parents, who can make change and add figures accurately, also write neat hand. Steady position to one that will attend strictly to business. Apply personally. Gately's 346 N. Main.

Wanted—Dishwasher at Paschal's cafe. 250 N. Park. Main 6727.

Wanted—An experienced waitress at the Lincoln Square Cafe.

Wanted—Girl for general housework. No washing or ironing. 952 Lincoln Ave. Main 6668.

Wanted — Experienced girl for general housework. Phone Main 2430.

Wanted—Girl to operate switchboard and information desk. High school graduate preferred. Answer in own handwriting. Address H-124 Review.

Wanted—A middle aged woman for general housework in a family of two, and help care for my invalid wife, located in a small town. Address Samuel Wilson, Latham, Ill., Lock Box 11.

Wanted—Girls to work in Norman's Laundry. Shirt finishing, marking and sorting.

Wanted—Girl for housework in country. Good wages. Phone or write John Crawford, Blue Mound, Ill.

WANTED—TO BUY

Wanted to Buy — A wardrobe trunk in good condition. Phone Main 4711.

Wanted to Buy—Pony with rubber tired rig and outfit. Call 1506 E. Eldorado.

Wanted to Buy—House. Payment down, balance monthly. Call Main 5546.

Wanted to Buy—Men's and boys' bicycles. John Ray, 315 N. Jasper.

My Friends if you have any household goods that you want to sell for cash come and see J. R. Volles, 503 N. Broadway, corner of Cerro Gordo, Decatur, Ill. If you can't come drop me a card and I will come and see your stuff. I buy all kinds of stuff.

Wanted to Buy—1 bath tub, 1 wash basin. Call Main 782.

Wanted to Buy—Electric motor from to 4 horse power. Main 317.

Wanted—All farmers to know that I will pay cash for all dead stock. William Price, 661 North Monroe. Phone 4131.

Attention Men!—you need money; I need clothes; I don't claim to pay from $5 to $25 per suit and then offer a very low price, I pay what the suit is worth. A postal or phone call to BEN FISHER, 563 N. Water St., will receive immediate attention. Phone Main 4901. Look for Fisher's Misfit Clothing House.

Wanted to Buy—Rags, magazines and all kinds of metal. Call Fairview 200.

Highest cash price for second hand clothing. 515 Front St., Fairview 28.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

Wanted— Paper hanging, screening, all jobs of plastering. Will go anywhere you wish to work. Call Main 4310.

Wanted— Dressmaking and all kinds of sewing, silk skirts. 1356 E. North. Main 6398.

WANTED—PAINTING AND PAPER HANGING, C. D. DADEY, MAIN 3048.

Wanted—Hauling; Coal, cinders, trash and rubbish; prices reasonable. Call Main 5780.

Wanted—Your hauling; any kind, ashes, cans, coal, rubbish; price fair. Main 5100.

Wanted—Work by A. Penick, general repair carpenter, Fairview 710.

Wanted—Roofing and general carpenter work. Main 1011. Call 500 E. Waggoner.

Wanted—Paper hanging; prompt service. D. M. Smith. Call after 6 p. m. Main 3371.

Wanted—All kinds of hauling, cinders, coal and brush. Call Main 3504.

William L. Huff, plasterer and contractor. Estimates gladly given. Main 914.

Wanted— Work to do by the day. Call Fairview 461.

Wanted — Hauling of any kind. Phone Fairview 859.

Let us figure your concrete work. We are competent on all classes. Phone Fairview 780, 130 W. North.

Paper Hanging—If you want your walls neatly papered, floor waxed or polished, call Adam Page, expert work, plastering, painting and repairing rental property. 232 West Main. Bell 511.

Wanted—Your hauling; any kind, ashes, cans, coal, rubbish; price fair. Main 5100.

Wanted—General carpenter & repair work. Shingling and repairing flues. Main 4950.

Wanted—Light hauling. Call R. H. Oliphant. Main 4327.

Wanted—Your watch repair work. We sell and repair American makes. CRAW the Watch Man, 147 Merchant street.

Let Me make your well and repair your pump. Phone Main 1344 evenings.

WANTED—TO RENT.

Wanted to Rent—2 or 3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping. H 390 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—By Aug. 16, 2 or 3 modern furnished rooms. No children. Call Main 5254, mornings.

Wanted—To rent about September 1, two or three modern unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, private entrance preferred. Call Main 2037.

Wanted to Rent—Five or six room house with lights and water and full lot. Call Fairview 369.

Wanted to Rent—By Sept. 1. 6, 7, or 8 room house, north, northwest or west side. Can give reference. Mrs. H. C. Srinzer, Main 1860.

Wanted to Rent—Six or seven room modern house by Sept. 1. Call Fairview 823.

Wanted to Rent—3 or 4 unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. East Side preferred. Address H-293 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—4 or 5 room house with conveniences. East Side preferred. Address H 264 care of Review.

Wanted—2 or 3 light housekeeping rooms. Address H-291 care of Review.

Wanted to Rent—Furnished flat or house. Family of 3 adults. Best reference. West Side. H 301, care of Review.

$5.00 to any one securing a suitable flat, rooms or house for 3 adults. Main 2737.

Wanted to Rent—Room for garage or repair shop. Harris. Main 1805. 557 Stewart Ave.

Wanted to Rent—Two modern comfortably furnished bedrooms. Including board if possible, preferably with private family in north section, by two refined employed people. References. Address H-193 care of Review.

WANTED TO RENT—House or bungalow, 5 to 7 rooms, state location and rent. Phone Main 1856. Mr. Hicks, 449 N. Water.

Wanted to Lease or Buy—From about Sept. 1st, 5 or 6 room modern bungalow or cottage. West or North. Call Mr. Chalmers, Main 7015.

Wanted to Rent—Farm near Decatur 100 to 160 acres, black muck soil. Possession March 1, 1920. 450 N. Morgan St., Decatur.

FOR RENT.

For Rent—Barber shop, splendid location. Apply William L. Huff, Main 914.

Good new store building, 28X80, with basement, in good location, on Main street Atwood, Ill., for rent. Address Chairman of Trustees, I. O. O. F. lodge, Atwood, Ill.

FOR RENT—ROOMS.

For Rent—Nicely furnished room suitable for two gentlemen preferred. 530 N. Church. Phone Main 6702.

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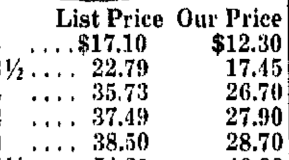

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210-11 Powers Bldg. Main 1401.

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Contract just let. Five rooms, full lot, well arranged and will be well built. In 1500 block west. Ask about this.

$700 and $35 Per Month

Buys a six-room home on full lot in 1100 block west. Entirely modern with new furnace. House in good condition. Possession September 1st.

W. W. AUSTIN,
210 Powers Building Main 1401

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5 rms., 1000 blk. E. Prairie St
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7 rms., 800 blk. E. William St
5 rms., 800 blk. E. William St
6 rms., 900 blk. E. William St
8 rms., 200 blk. W. Harrison Av.
Easy Payments.

Donaldson Real Estate Co.,
Suite 7-10, Conklin Bldg.,
Ph. Main 707 144 N. Main St.
Call B. H. Cassell, Jr.

SOME GOOD RESIDENCES AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES

8 room modern, close in. West side $5500. 8 room modern, well located $6000; 8 room modern, Lincoln Ave., $3000; 6 room modern cottage, north side, $3600; 5 room modern bungalow, northwest part, $4000.

B. F. DARDEN & SON,
527 Powers Bldg. Main 1410 or 3520.

For Sale—Modern, 6 room cottage, Stewart Ave. 5 room bungalow, 1300 block W. Cerro Gordo. Fine building lot on west side, room for 2 houses. Lot on corner of Taylor ave., and Wood St. 8 room residence, Cleveland Ave. Some fine suburban homes. 60 acre dairy farm, within 1½ miles of Decatur. Phone Main 6754 H. B. Dickerson.

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If you want to sell and desire quick action, list your property with me. I not only list property but sell it. There's a Reason.

The well-equipped agent has an established place of business where he is prepared to look after the details of the business and relieve you of the many annoyances incident to the sale of real estate. He protects both the buyer and seller. I have many clients who want to buy homes in different parts of the city. If you have property to sell, put a fair price on it, list it with me and get results.

Here are some properties for sale which I can recommend:
Six-room, modern, southwest side; very cheap at price, $3,400.
Five-room, modern brick bungalow, west side; price, $3,600.
Seven-room, modern, North Clinton Street; price, $8,000.
Four-room, part modern, southeast side; price, $1,800.
Four-room house, on lot 150x92, beautiful shade and well located West King Street; price, $2,250.
Five-room, not modern, in good repair, West View Street; price, $2,000.

T. J. CUMMINGS,
116 NORTH WATER STREET (UPSTAIRS) MAIN 1874

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

BUNGALOWS

5 room new; northwest part. Owners leaving city, will sacrifice for $1800, worth $2400.

See us at once.

Logan & Godwin,
140 E. Main St. Main 430.

For Sale or Exchange

For good Decatur residence, a 6 room house in Cerro Gordo, will pay difference. See me on this.

W. M. LEWIS,
Phone 2008. 111 E. Main.

FOR SALE.

Twelve room modern house at 920 East Eldorado St. A bargain at $4000.00. Phone Main 2208. James O'Mara, Trustee.

For Sale—Six room house on West Decatur St. Must sell at once, either cash or terms. T. S. Willhite, 318 Citizens Bank Bldg. Phone Main 3662.

MODERN COTTAGES

Six rooms, close in. $4600.00.
Five rooms, East side, $3200.
Six rooms, East side, $2600.
Five rooms, East side, $2850.

SCHOENLE & O'MARA

FOR SALE

8 room house, 900 block, W. Macon St.
7 room modern, Johnson Ave.
6 room, Taylor Ave.
Good 150 acres, well improved, Macon county.
Number of 5 and 6 room houses, easy payments.

THEO. FISHER.
134 E. Prairie. Main 1208.

SEVEN ROOM MODERN—1000 block W. Macon, full size lot, concrete drive—$3500.

Six rooms, every modern convenience, hot water heat, large garage, 400 block, South Monroe, lot 40X175 ft. $7200.

Five rooms, brick, modern, 1000 block North Union street, $2800, $800 down and balance in monthly payments to suit purchaser.

Wm. J. Armstrong.
Main 980. 413-14 Millikin Bldg.

FINE HOME IN WEST PART OF CITY. 8 rooms strictly modern, hot water heat, fine large lot and garage. See this at once if you want a nice home.

5 room modern cottage on North College for $3100.

Fine 5 room new bungalow in West part for $1500.

W. F. Pickle.
146 E. Main St. Phone 1622.

HOUSES.

7 rooms, thoroughly modern, lot 40X200, 3 rooms down, 4 up, with sleeping porch. Fine condition North Church St.
Good 8 room, North College St.
Good 6 rooms, N. Monroe St., all modern.
2 good bungalows, West Forest and West Decatur.
For information call on.

Rice & Stringer,
110 N. Water St.

FOR SALE—FARM LANDS

For Sale—Do you want to buy a good 40 acres close to Decatur? We have a bargain at $325 an acre and also one at $150. D. D. Hill & Son, Main 373. 814 Millikin Bldg.

For Sale—Farms of all sizes, $35 to $150 per acre, write for list, W. F. Farmer, Cloverdale, Ind.

For Sale — 120 acres near Assumption, fairly well improved. A bargain at $200 per acre, J. F. Smith, Macon, Ill.

FARM FOR SALE

One of the most fertile farms in Illinois can be bought for $25,000. Cash or easy payments. The farm has 111 acres and splendid improvements. It joins the city limits of Shelbyville, Ill. City water and electric lights. Only two blocks from railway depot. For further particulars write

LOCK BOX, NO. 3, SHELBYVILLE, ILL.

FOR SALE—Moderate sized farm, partly developed for stock, fruit, truck or country home, mile and half from city limits, gravel all the way, new and good buildings, modern stable, living spring, deep well, water tanks; priced to save time and money for owner who works himself or wants investment. No trades.

JAMES C. LYONS.
419 Powers Building.

For Sale—Will offer my farm of 128 acres good land; well improved, and nicely located and 80 acres farm, well improved and 60 acres, unimproved at a bargain. C. O. Peake, Vera, Ill.

For Sale—160 acres 1½ miles from Macon, part of this is slightly rolling, but very good land. Producing fine crops. Good 2 story house, basement furnace, good barn and other buildings. Price for 10 days, $325 per acre. 160 acres, 1 mile of Assumption fine level land, thoroughly tiled, good improvement, cost right worth $50 per acre. A fine farm, nicely located. See W. E. Moser, agent, Macon, Ill.

Those interested save this ad.—800 acres black land, 2 sets improvements, A-1 condition, price $175. 480 acre well improved, black land, price $280, 130 acres well improved black land, a beautiful home, school and church on farm. Good dark chocolate soil. Most in grass, rich, price $15,000. 2585 acres, 6 sets improvements, rich land, price $145, good terms. Other fine farm, A-1. Hotel and Opera House, stone buildings, 1 block. Will cost $250,000 to build today. Priced for cash sale. All above lands are A-1, and in best locations. Correspondence invited from those who mean business. Particulars. All land listed is advancing rapidly. Address Box 289, Springfield, Ill.

FIVE FARMS FOR SALE.
A number of fine farms, excellent land in high state of cultivation, near Beardstown. For particulars see or write Glass & Bottenberg, Rushville, Ill.

Illinois Corn Farms. Just a few for quick sale—200 Douglas county good land, well tiled, fairly well improved $240. 80 joins town, extra good land well tiled, no improvements, $300, 288 joins a good town extra fine black well tiled land fairly well improved, extra fine location $375. 178 good land, well tiled, good large house, easy terms $275, 80 good well tiled land pretty well improved $300, 320 all extra good prairie land, well tiled close to town, $320, 210 joins town fair improvements, extra fine black land, well tiled, well fenced. An extra nice place for home $400, 290 fine land, well tiled fairly well improved, $270. I sure can please you if you come at once. J. W. Maddox, Oakland, Ill.

For Sale — Fine 60 acre Illinois farm grows 65 bushels corn or 25 bushels wheat per acre. Price $85, per acre. Bargain and a beautiful home Frank Moore, Wayne City, Ill.

For Sale—200 acres good black level corn land, new 8 room house; good new barn and crib; fine home and investment. Price for a short time, $325 per acre. C. W. [illegible], Monticello, Ill.

For Sale—200 acre good old Macon county black dirt. Austin township. $300 acre. C. L. Townsend, 1236 N. Broadway, Decatur, Ill.

$100 down takes 20 acres near Pawpaw, Mich., 10 room house, barn, chicken house, hog house; land lays good, stream through center. Good soil and under cultivation. Price $1000 balance terms. East States Farm Agency, Room 212 Oxford Bldg., Chicago.

160 ACRES WELL IMPROVED

Within two miles of good town. Black land. Nine room house with bath and heating plant. Good barn. Worth the money. Price $250 per acre.

THIRTY ACRES, SEVEN MILES FROM DECATUR

Timber soil. Part in cultivation. Fine for berries and truck gardening. Price $7,000. Take Decatur residence as part of purchase price.

400 ACRES AT $275

Lies within 7 miles of good trading point and within 2 miles of grain station. Ample improvements. One of the best money making propositions we know of.

W. W. AUSTIN
210 Powers Bldg. Main 1401.

Free Wisconsin bulletins, soil, climate, crops. Immigration Bureau, Wisconsin Department of Agriculture, Capitol 20, Madison, Wis.

For Sale—160 acres of level, black loam, well tiled, close to Charleston, good house and barn, high state of cultivation. Price $400 per acre. 80 acres of level, black loam, well tiled, new house and barn, close to market and school; price $350 per acre. 90 acres level, black loam well tiled, good buildings and improvements, close to market and school; price $325 per acre. I have other farms for sale. Come see me or write for what you want. R. C. Alexander, Charleston, Ill.

CORN FARMS

160 acres all black land, well improved and well tiled; price $245 per acre. 100 acres improved, good land; $200 per acre. 80 acres, well improved, well tiled, all black land; $250 per acre. 160 acres improved, well tiled; $250 per acre. 410 acres, a fine stock and grain farm, a bargain, well improved; $150 per acre. If you are looking for a farm it will pay you to see me.

J. M. Pickle,
226 Millikin Bldg. Phone Main 1220.

400 ACRES

3½ miles to market all nice level land except 40 acres pasture, well tiled, good set of buildings, consisting of 6 room house, large barn, 2 good double cribs, large hay barn, well fenced, school on the land, fine neighborhood. This farm is in an estate and priced to sell $300 per acre.

See I. J. Glosser,
Room 4, Stine Building,
Decatur, Ill.

See Lewis For Farms

Over Farmers State Bank.
80 acres, 10 miles out $350, improved.
200 acres, Milmine, improved, good $275.
160 acres, Mt. Zion, improved corn land $400.
80 acres Argenta black and good, $125.
37 acres, 217 acres, 150 acres, all in St. Charles County, Mo.
Good land, worth the money, at $60 to $150 per acre.

260 ACRES

Near Sullivan. This is a good corn farm. Fair improvements, worth investigating; don't delay as this won't last long at the price $250 per acre.

Ed. Drobisch,
226 Millikin. Phone Main 4612.

FARMS

160 acres north of Dalton City. 240 near Oreana. 80 acres north of Decatur. 400 acres near Assumption. 126 acres near Decatur. Several small improved tracts.

Logan & Godwin,
140 E. Main St. Main 430.

Farms For Sale—180 acres, Douglas county, well improved black land. Big bargain at $275 per acre. 100 acres, near Decatur, all level black land, $275. Write or phone me now, Phone 1601, D. S. Anderson, 1102 W. Eldorado St.

250 ACRE FARM FOR SALE FOR FIVE DAYS ONLY.
Consists of 250 acres all rich black soil, about 180 acres in grain and balance in pasture, about 6 miles from Moweaqua, Ill., price $325 per acre. This is one of the best grain and stock farms in this country. Will be glad to show this farm for the next five days except Sunday. If coming to examine phone me so I will sure be at home, Ralph Ayars, Moweaqua, Ill.

Farms For Sale—Situated in Henderson county, Ky., 1½ miles from Reed, containing 277 acres, 150 acres in cultivation, balance wet land, all easily drained and being drained at present time. Valuable wheat, corn, clover, grass and tobacco land. Two tenant houses, good barn, rural route, good markets and shipping facilities. Price $60 per acre cash. Forrest Haynes, owner, Beverly apartments, Topeka, Kas.

For Sale

40 acres fair improvements, good level land, on gravel road 3 miles out. A bargain, 60 acres, ten acres, 80 acres fine near Emery. 80 acres real close to Macon improved. 160 acres near Casner, 102 acres at Moweaqua, 252 acres, near Findlay improved. 120 acres real close to Emery. 132 acres near Oreana, improved, $185 per acre. Modern 8 room home, W. Main. 7 room modern, West Macon, 8 new modern bungalows west side all kinds of property. Every part of city.

ALLEN
145 Merchant St.

For Sale or Rent—800 acres wheat ranch in Montana, 250 ready to seed to fall wheat. More than half in cultivation and more to brake out, have gas tractor, plow outfit and separator and other farm machinery and stock to run same. Will sell as a whole or sell stock and machinery and rent land three or five years to suit, purchase price $55 per acre one third down and terms on balance or all cash if taken soon. Address J. E. McCoy, Big Sandy, Mont.

235½ ACRES OF HIGH GRADE IMPROVED FARM LAND

of high grade, worth $200 an acre. This farm has never been advertised nor offered for sale before. Located nearby to the best of markets. Would like to tell you further particulars and show you this farm. Will be sold this week at $185 an acre.

Wm. J. Armstrong,
Main 980. 413-14 Millikin Bldg.

100-acre farm in southern Missouri good, growing crop, mules, implements, hogs, cows. Trade for Decatur or Illinois property. Frank Suffern, 1760 N. Water.

FARMS—400 acres 20 miles, Decatur, $300 per acre. 415 acres, 10 miles Decatur, extra well improved $325 per acre. 240 acres 10 miles Decatur extra well improved $325 per acre, 80 acres, $300 improved, a beauty. These farms are all good buys and will sell; come up and take a look. I. J. Glosser, Room 4 Stine Bldg. Decatur, Ill.

135 acre farm fairly well improved, Effingham county, Ill. Want to exchange for city property. T. T. Springer, 157 E. Main, Phone 1770.

FOR SALE—VACANT LOTS.

For Sale—2 choice vacant lots, 500 block W. Macon, Hugh S. Baker, 417 S. Main.

For Sale—Exceptional bargain, Best located lot in Elmhurst's addition, $250. Half cash if desired. J. C. Norman, 340 W. North. Main 4521.

For Sale — Good building lot, northwest corner city, close to school, car line and paved street. Reasonable. Address H-357 care of Review.

For Sale—Lot in west end, close in at a bargain, Call Main 4452 or 233 W. Wood St. A. C. Diller.

For Sale—Vacant lot in 1400 block, W. Decatur St. Call Main 372 or 4481.

For Sale —Vacant lot in 1800 block N. Maple Ave, $300, Floyd Luckey, 702 W. Center St. Main 0491.

For Sale—West side lot, fine location, 1400 block West Forest. Apply W. H. Duerr, Y. M. C. A.

For Sale—Cheapest lot in Decatur. Rosedale addition; $200; cash or Liberty bonds. Call Main 1988.

For Sale—Beautiful lot in Park Place, Main 23.

For Sale — Lot 18 block, 7 Homestead Place, Price $750. Address Bert Leighton, Baldwin, L. I., N. Y.

FOR SALE OR TRADE

Lot 23 block, 13 Elson Heights addition, located on E. North St., 7th lot and east of 10th street. Will sell cheap or trade for Ford or other light car.

B. B. BURNS,
121 N. Church.

FOR SALE

High grade Vacant Lot, first lot south of 1621 N. Monroe street.

B. B. BURNS,
121 N. Church St.

I WANT TO BUY

A good building lot in the West end. Will pay cash.

I WANT TO SELL

Full sized lot on N. Maple Ave. Will sell at a bargain.

JOSEPH LUKEY,
Main 6484 120 Cobb Ave.

INVESTMENT LOTS

2 good corner lots, ideal for flats, and an excellent investment as they are.
One, 44X150, 2 small houses, one 5 and one 3 room, now renting for $34. Price $5,000.
One 30X100, 2 houses, renting for $30. Price $3,850.
Both of these lots are finest locations in Decatur for flats or are fine investments, paying good interest.
Call and see

Rice & Stringer,
110 N. Water St.

CITY ADVERTISING

NOTICE FOR BID.

Sealed bids will be received by the Board of Local Improvements of the city of Decatur, Illinois, at their office in the Council Room in the Court House in said City, from this date until the day of August 18, A. D. 1919, at two o'clock P. M., for the construction of the improvement of the roadway of North Taylor Avenue from the north line of West Main Street to the south line of Interurban Way in the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of twenty-five (25) feet between curbs by removing the present concrete curbing in said street; by removing a portion of the combination curb and gutter and a portion of the sidewalk and a portion of the pavement at the intersection of North Taylor Avenue with West Main Street and by grading, filling, excavating, curbing and placing thereon a five (5) inch Portland cement concrete foundation, a one (1) inch cushion of sand and cement, and by placing thereon a vitrified brick wearing surface of four (4") inches in thickness with a pitch mastic joint filler; by laying the necessary Portland cement concrete sidewalk at the intersection of North Taylor Avenue with West Main Street and providing the necessary catch basins, manholes and sewer drains.

Said improvement to be constructed in accordance with the plan, profile and specifications prepared by the Engineer of this Board, and ordinance providing for said improvement, which are now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City. Said improvement to be bid upon as a whole.

The Contractor shall furnish bond for the full amount of the contract price for said improvement, based upon the approximate estimate, to the City of Decatur, conditioned that said improvement will be constructed strictly in accordance with the said plan, plat, profile, specifications and ordinance for same and contract hereafter to be entered into; that said improvement shall remain and be in good repair for and during the full period and at the end of five years from the time said improvement is accepted by said City.

All bids for said improvement will be publicly opened by said Board on the 18day day of August, A. D. 1919 at two o'clock P. M., at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the Council Room in the Court House in said City, and the right is hereby expressly reserved to reject any and all bids. Proposals must be made on blanks furnished by said Board and in compliance with the instructions thereto attached, which can be had on application to the City Clerk, and must be accompanied by cash or a check payable to the order of the President of said Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity, certified to by a responsible bank for an amount not less than ten (10 per cent) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, in accordance with the ordinance for said improvement. Work on the construction of said improvement shall commence on the date fixed in a notice given by the Board of Local Improvements to that effect, and shall be completed within sixty (60) days thereafter.

The Contractor to whom shall be awarded the contract for making said improvement shall, upon completion and acceptance of said improvement and confirmation of such acceptance as provided by law, receive in cash that portion of the cost of said improvement to be paid by said City; the balance of the cost of said improvement to be paid in local improvement bonds which the Contractor shall take at their face value, same to bear interest at the rate of five (5 per cent) per cent per annum, according to the Statute in such cases made and provided.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 6th day of August, A. D. 1919.

CHARLES M. BORCHERS,
Mayor.
ALEX VAN PRAAG,
JOHN F. MATTES,
J. W. MONTGOMERY,
HARRY RUTHRAUFF,
Board of Local Improvements of the City of Decatur, Illinois.
MILLER, HOLBROOK & WARREN,
Consulting Engineers.
RALPH J. MONROE,
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DECATUR PRODUCTS NOW BEING SHOWN TO PEOPLE OF THE WORLD IN MOVING PICTURES

Gaumount Graphic No. 72 released this week is showing to the people of the world the Dual Truck-Tractor doing many things which will help reduce the high cost of living. As you read this, hundreds of thousands of people are seeing the Dual's operations on and off the farm. The Lincoln Square theater will show this interesting reel at all performances Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 20th and 21st. This will afford an opportunity for the people of Decatur and surrounding territory to view this remarkable truck-tractor, roadster demonstration in comfort, without the inconveniences that attend tractor demonstrations in the field. Every farmer in this vicinity and every citizen of Decatur, should see at the Lincoln Square theater these pictures of this Decatur product, which is now being shown to the people of the world.

These pictures are but the fore runner, the advance agent of Dual Truck-Tractors, which will follow in the wake of these pictures to be used throughout the entire world, to turn the earth, produce and move the crops more efficiently and at less expense than it can possibly be done with any other machine manufactured. As these pictures will show this Decatur product where the Gaumount Company has branches in all countries, so the Dual Truck-Tractor will follow these pictures to all countries.

District, state, and local agents, farmers in this vicinity and elsewhere, are waiting for Dual Truck-Tractors which are being made by the Dual Truck-Tractor Company at the factory in Decatur, 901 East Eldorado Street. This machine is protected by a number of United States patents issued, others allowed, and others pending. From the blue prints and patterns of the company, large gear cutting concerns and steel foundries are now completing the various parts, some of which are constantly arriving at our factory, where they will be assembled, and from this factory Dual Truck-Tractors will soon be in the hands of the dealers and users.

Production facilities will be constantly increased until the magnitude of the out put to supply the demand, which is now insistent, will be of such staggering proportions that the people of this country, accustomed as they are to big things, will marvel, and point to the Dual Truck-Tractor as an object lesson, showing what genius, ability and enterprise can accomplish in this great country, in the greatest era of opportunity; in this great city of Decatur; in this great State of Illinois.

From the proceeds of this great out put, staggering profits are expected by the stockholders of this company. The machine has been demonstrated in many ways, and the practical tractor using farmer, and the mechanical expert pronounce it a marvel, and predict that it will lead all competitors in one of the greatest potential businesses in the world, today.

The company has territory open for district and local agents for the sale of this machine throughout the United States. Later, distributing agencies will be established for foreign countries. Only responsible, competent men will be considered, an almost certain fortune awaits the competent distributor who secures territory for the sale of Dual Truck-Tractors.—

FOR SALE—SUBURBAN.

Suburban—10 acres northwest, ½ in berries. Close in. Improved up-to-date. Truck farm. Priced right. Private sale. Address H-808, care of Review.

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Said improvement to be constructed in accordance with the plan, profile and specifications prepared by the Engineer of this Board, and ordinance providing for said improvement, which are now on file in the office of the City Clerk of said City. Said improvement to be bid upon as a whole.

The Contractor shall furnish bond for the full amount of the contract price, for said improvement, based upon the approximate estimate, to the City of Decatur, conditioned that said improvement will be constructed strictly in accordance with the said plan, plat, profile, specifications and ordinance for same and contract hereafter to be entered into; that said improvement shall remain and be in good repair for and during the full period and at the end of five years from the time said improvement is accepted by said City.

All bids for said improvement will be publicly opened by said Board on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1919 at two o'clock P. M., at the office of the Board of Local Improvements in the Council Room in the Court House in said City, and the right is hereby expressly reserved to reject any and all bids. Proposals must be made on blanks furnished by said Board and in compliance with the instructions thereto attached, which can be had on application to the City Clerk, and must be accompanied by cash or a check payable to the order of the President of said Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity, certified to by a responsible bank for an amount not less than ten (10 per cent) per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, in accordance with the ordinance for said improvement. Work on the construction of said improvement shall commence on the date fixed in a notice given by the Board of Local Improvements to that effect and shall be completed within one hundred and twenty (120) days thereafter.

The Contractor to whom shall be awarded the contract for making said improvement shall, upon completion and acceptance of said improvement and confirmation of such acceptance as provided by law, receive in cash that portion of the cost of said improvement to be paid by the City; the balance of the cost of said improvement to be paid in local improvement bonds which the Contractor shall take at their face value, same to bear interest at the rate of five (5 per cent) per cent per annum, according to the Statute in such cases made and provided.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Louise P. Wagoner, deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of Louise P. Wagoner, late of County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby give notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the October term, on the first Monday in October next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the Undersigned.

Dated this twenty-second day of July, 1919.

WILLIAM P. SHADE.
Administrator with the Will annexed,
Fannie A. Bivans, Atty.

TAFT TURNS DOWN AIRPLANE TRIP

Pana, Aug. 12.—Capt. Earl S. Hoag and Lieut. E. T. Kennedy of the United States Army Air Service of Scott Field, Belleville, Ill., who were here Saturday in the interest of getting recruits for the Army Air Service, and who heard Ex-President Taft's lecture at the Pana Chautauqua in the auditorium in Kitchell Park, offered Ex-President Taft a ride in their airplane.

Misunderstanding their statement as to the conveyance they intended to use, Mr. Taft promptly accepted their offer for a fifteen or twenty minute's ride, and they proceeded to get their ship in order to give Mr. Taft a new sensation.

While Mr. Taft was greeting the many people who wished to shake his hand and get acquainted with him, persons who heard Mr. Taft's acceptance of the aviators' offer, said to a friend who was shaking Mr. Taft's hand, that Mr. Taft was soon to take a ride in an airplane.

"NOT BUILT FOR AVIATION".

When the former president heard that remark he realized there had been a misunderstanding between him and the aviators, and he said:

"Did you say in an airplane?" and added a vigorous "No, not in an airplane, I thought they said in an automobile, I am not built for traveling in an airplane." Of course, the aviators were very much disappointed in not being able to show him the thrills and pleasures of a ride in the air.

A short time later Lieut. Kennedy took C. F. Baldwin of this city for a ride in the plane, flying over the city and the country adjoining Pana, to a height of some 1200 to 1500 feet which was greatly enjoyed by the passenger.

PANA CHAUTAUQUA DRAWS BIG CROWDS

Pana, Aug. 12.—The weather has thus far permitted a good sized attendance at the Pana chautauqua and autos from all surrounding towns were here Sunday. Goodman's band, Congressman William B. McKinley and Douglas Malloch were the attractions, Monday the Old Home Singers gave a concert and little Alice Muirhead sang and recited. She was assisted by Toots Becktold, formerly of Pana.

PERSONALS.

Miss Ruth Coffman who has been attending University of Wisconsin arrived home Saturday.

Mr. Merle Husted of Roodhouse is here during chautauqua.

Miss Mary Vanmeter of Decatur is spending the week here camping at the chautauqua.

Mrs. Grace Dyer and daughter of Villa Grove are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Beatty.

Mrs. Dora Matheney and daughter, Anna are in Charleston the guests of Frank Matheney and family.

Miss Marie Flesch has returned from Charleston where she visited relatives.

Miss Florence Sanders has returned to Hillsboro after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Sanders.

Miss Margaret Slatton and Victor Cullen of Taylorville were Sunday chautauqua visitors here.

Joe Thiele and Dr. Van Andrews of Ramsey were here Sunday.

Mr. Frank Reid and daughter Miss Hazel, of Springfield were guests of his brother, Dr. J. D. Reid and family Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Collings has as her guests during the chautauqua, Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Douglas of Shirley, and Mrs. Glenn Vandervort and daughters of Grothersville, Ark.

Mrs. Lindsay of St. Louis is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. William Wade.

FINISH THRESHING IN MOULTRIE

Sullivan, Aug. 12.—Threshing will be all done in this county by the last of this week unless it rains. There are only a few crops of oats in the county to thresh now and all the wheat has been threshed.

The Triangle Girls held their regular meeting Monday evening at the home of their president, Miss Agnes Corbin, on West Jackson street. A very interesting program was rendered during the evening.

W. H. Chase and two daughters, Miss Helen and Miss Ruth, and their aunt, Miss Jennie Baggatt, left early Monday morning for Madison, Wis. for a ten days' visit with the former's mother.

Mrs. Lena Forrest was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Miss Mary Patterson was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Feed Wheat Wanted

We will buy on sample wagon or round lots of damaged or low-grade wheat fit only for feed purposes.

American Hominy Co.

Corner Cerro Gordo and Water Streets

Local Notices

WANTED — Kitchen help—Angle Hotel.

Special Meeting, Aug. 12, American Federation of Railroad Workers, Masonic Temple, Cor. William and Water streets. Meeting called at 7:30. Special business. E. M. Pinney.

Special meeting, Wabash Lodge No. 833, I. O. of M. Tuesday, Aug. 12th; 7:30, Eagles Hall. S. Water St.

Coal—A Bargain

I have 10 cars of large lump Clear Lake coal that will go at a bargain if taken at once.

J. K. MISER.
810 E. North. Main 1149.

O. K. PLANS FOR DOUGLAS ROADS

State Highway Commission Gives Approval.

Tuscola, Aug. 12.—Word has been received in this city that the state highway commission has approved the plans for a county system of hard roads as prepared by the board of supervisors at a recent meeting held in this city. Notice that the state had accepted the plans was received by County Clerk C. A. Hawkins and will be officially transmitted to the supervisors at their next meeting to be held in September.

The plans approved by the state include the north route between Arcola and Arthur, the selection of which held up the proposed improvement for several months.

WORKING ON PLANS.

L. O. Hackett, county superintendent of the highways, is now at work on plans to be submitted to the supervisors at their September meeting. It is understood that if the necessary steps can be completed the supervisors will call a special election to be held in November to vote on the proposed improvement.

The proposed county system will include 48 miles of the principal highways of the county, one between Newman and Atwood, following the Ocean to Ocean highway except for a short distance south of Camargo, and one in the southern part of the county between Arthur and Hindsboro. There will also be two cross routes connecting the two east and west roads one of these will pass through Hugo and connect with the north route near Camargo. The other will be connected with the rock roads in Sargent township and with the north route a short distance west of Newman.

SOME OPPOSITION.

There will probably be some opposition to favorable action at the election in some parts of the county. In Arcola and Bourbon townships the votes will have trouble over the location of the Arthur-Arcola route. In Camargo the route was changed and will enter Camargo from the south. The total length of the system was shortened one-half mile by that change, but it will be necessary to make and extensive fill at the Rice bridge, and there will be a dangerous crossing of the C. I. & W. tracks in Camargo with a steep incline on both sides of the tracks. Both routes into Camargo had advantages and the change there did not meet with great opposition.

In the eastern part of the county some will oppose the plan because of the route from Sargent township into Newman which folows the Brushy Fork creek for two miles instead of taking a more direct route into Newman. Newman township however, will vote almost solid in favor of hard roads no matter where they are located, it is said.

While it is as yet to early to forecast how the election will carry it is thought by most people that the plan will carry by a large margin. While the system as planned may not be ideal it is a great advance and should have the support of every resident of the county.

ALL LOCAL PRICES ARE QUOTED FIRM

Higher Tendency in Chicago May Cause Advance.

Grain prices remain firm and unchanged at Decatur with a steady market at the terminal points, corn being two cents higher in Chicago and hogs also firmer.

No changes were made locally in the cash price of either but if the rising tendency is maintained it is likely that both corn and hogs will go to higher levels within a day or so.

Poultry and eggs are also unchanged but the local buyers are unable to make eastern shipments under the present railroad conditions and fear of delay in perishable freights.

Decatur dealers are offering the following prices for grain:

No. 2 wheat	$2.07@$....
White corn	1.85@ ....
Yellow corn	1.85@ ....
Oats	.70@ ....
Rye	1.35@ ....

Live Stock.
(Quoted daily by Danzeisen Packing Co.)

Heavy sows	18.00@	18.50
Choice young hogs, 225-250 lbs.	20.00@	21.00
Young hogs, 175-200 lbs.	19.00@	20.00
Light pigs, 100-120 lbs.	10.00@	14.00
Choice steers	12.00@	12.50
Shipping steers	11.50@	12.00
Butcher steers	6.00@	7.00
Choice cows	8.00@	11.00
Medium cows	5.00@	10.00
Bulls	7.50@	8.00
Choice heifers	11.00@	12.00
Heifers medium	10.00@	11.50
Sheep	7.00@	8.00
Lambs	13.50@	....
Calves	9.00@	11.00

Butter and Eggs.
(Quoted by Max Atlas)
(Quotations to Producer)

Eggs	.40
Butter, packing	.37

Poultry.
(Quotations to producers by Max Atlas.)

Hens, medium	.26
Hens, 4½ pounds, and over	.20
Springs, 1½ to 2 lbs.	.20
Cocks	.13
Stags	.15
Old Toms	.25
Young turkeys, 8 lbs. and over	.30
Geese	.10
Ducks, large	.22
Indian Runner ducks	.14
Live pigeons per dozen	.60

CHICAGO HOLDUPS GET $10,000

Chicago, Aug. 12.A messenger for the Community State bank was robbed today of $10,000 by three armed bandits who escaped. They overlooked $2,000 in currency and $28,000 in securities which the messenger carried in a satchel

MARKETS

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Ware & Leland).

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Following is range of prices with yesterday's close:

	Open	High	Low	Close	Yes.
CORN—					
Sept	100¾@101	101¾	100¾	101¾	101
Dec	132¾@132	134¼	131⅝	132⅝	133⅝
May	148⅛@	149½	147	148⅜	149
OATS—					
Sept	74½@ 74⅝	75⅝	74⅛	75⅜	74⅝
Dec	76⅝@ 77⅛	78⅛	76⅝	77⅞	77⅜
May	80 @	81⅝	80	81⅛	80⅝
PORK—					
Sept	4710@	4700	4710	4755	4700
LARD—					
Sept	3150@ 3165	3165	3135	3152	3165
Oct	3125@	3135	3110	3135	3150
RIBS—					
Sept	2650@	2665	2695	2665	2660

MARKET GOSSIP

ST. LOUIS HAY MARKET.

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—HAY—Two days' receipts of 21 cars included 10 timothy, 5 clover mixed, 1 alfalfa and 5 prairie. There was no material change, either in market conditions or prices—good grade hay continues to sell fairly well, but medium and common kinds are difficult to dispose of. Receipts are rather light and are comprised chiefly of low grades—scarcely any clover or alfalfa coming in. Sales—Old—Timothy, 1 car grassy mixed at $23. New—Clover mixed, No. 1, 1 car heavy mixed at $30. Timothy—Three parts of car heated at $20, two parts of cars do at $22; No. 2, 1 car at $26, 2 at $28. Standard—One car at $20, 1 at $29.50, 5 at $30; No. 1, 2 cars at $31, 2 at $32. Clover—No. 1, 2 cars at $30, Alfalfa—No. 1, 1 car at $33.

STRAW—Steady. Last sales wheat at $7.50 per ton.

NEW YORK COTTON.

New York, Aug. 12.—Cotton futures opened steady: October $31.63; December $31.90; January, $31.74; March $31.68; May $31.50.

CHICAGO CARS.

	Rets.	Cont.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	730	303	730	1904
Corn	77	42	77	116
Oats	215	201	215	915

INSPECTED CARS.

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 12.—Inspected cars: Wheat, 600; Corn, 35; Oats, 165.

PRIMARY MOVEMENTS.

	Today	Year Ago
Wheat	2,104,000	3,302,000
Corn	121,000	452,000
Oats	555,000	1,589,000
Shipments—		
Wheat	1,918,000	1,682,000
Corn	53,000	230,000
Oats	425,000	880,000

LIVE STOCK

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Aug. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 4,000 head; market higher; bulk of sales $22.25@23.00; heavy, $22.85@23.10; medium $22.25@23.10; light $21.75@23.00; light light $21.50@22.25; packing sows, $20.50@21.75; pigs, $10.50@22.35.

CATTLE—Receipts 21,000 head and 3,000 head calves, lower; beef steers: choice and prime $17.50@19.00; medium and good, $14.35@17.35; common $10.00@14.15; light weight: good and choice $14.85@17.00; common and medium $9.50@14.05; butcher cattle: heifers $6.50@14.75; cows, $6.50@12.75; canners and cutters, $5.50@6.50; veal calves, $14.50@19.00; feeder steers $8.05@13.75; stocker steers, $6.75@11.40.

SHEEP— Receipts 7,000 head; market higher; lambs $12.50@16.75; yearling wethers $8.50@12.00; ewes, $5.25@9.25.

St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 7,000 head; market higher; top price $23.50; bulk of sales $23.00@23.10; heavy $23.00@23.40; medium $23.25@23.50; light $22.25@23.25; light light, $20.00@22.50; heavy packing sows smooth, $19.50@20.50; packing sows, rough, $18.00@19.50; pigs, $12.00@21.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 7,000 head; market steady; beef steers medium and heavy weight medium and good $13.00@15.50; common, $11.25@13.00; light weight good and choice $13.25@17.50; common and medium $10.00@13.25; butcher cattle heifers $8.00@16.00; cows $7.50@13.00; canners and cutters $6.00@7.50; veal calves $18.00@19.25; feeder steers $7.00@12.25; stocker steers $7.00@10.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 3,500 head; market steady; sheep steady, lambs higher; lambs, 84 pounds down, $14.50@16.85; yearling wethers $10.00@11.00; ewes, medium and choice $8.00@10.00.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis Aug. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 3,000 head; market 25 cents lower; all weights, $22.50; pigs, $20.50@21.00.

CATTLE—Receipts 1,000 head; market steady; steers $11.00@17.35.

SHEEP — Receipts 500 head; market steady; lambs, $10.00@15.50.

Cleveland Live Stock.

U. S. Yards, Cleveland, O., Aug. 12.—(Bower and Bower Report)—HOGS—Receipts 1500 head; market lower; yorkers and mixed $23.10; pigs, $21.00@21.50.

CALVES—$20.00@21.50.
LAMBS—$16.00@17.00.
CATTLE—$5.00@16.00

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 17,000 head; market unsettled, mostly 25 cents to 40 cents higher; top price $23.40; heavy weight $21.35 @ 23.35; medium weight, $21.50@23.40; light weight, $21.55@23.35; light light, $19.25@22.00; heavy packing sows, smooth, $20.25@21.25; packing sows, rough, $10.25@20.25; pigs, $17.50@19.50.

CATTLE—Receipts 17,000 head; market unsettled; beef steers medium and heavy weight: choice and prime $17.00@20.35; medium and good, $13.25@17.00; common $10.75@13.25; light weight good and choice $15.00@18.75; common and medium, $9.75@15.00; butcher cattle heifers, $7.75@15.25; cows, $7.50@14.50; canners and cutters $6.25@7.50; veal calves, light and handy weight, $20.00@21.00; feeder steers $8.25@13.75. Stocker steers $7.00@11.25; western range: beef steers $9.75@16.75; cows and heifers $8.00@13.50.

SHEEP—Receipts 26,000 head; market firm; lambs; 84 pounds down, $14.00@17.25; culls and common, $10.00@13.50; yearling wethers, $10.25 @ 13.00; ewes: medium, good and choice $7.50@11.00; culls and common, $2.75@6.75.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Aug. 12.—HOGS—Receipts 3,[illegible] head; market steady; top price $2[illegible]; bulk of sales, $22.75@22.85; lights $22[illegible]@22.85; mediums, $22.75@22.85; heavy $22.00@22.75.

CATTLE—Receipts 150 head; market cents higher; calves, $1 higher.

PRODUCE

New York Produce.

New York, Aug. 12. —BUTTER—Firm; receipts 8,852 tubs; creamery higher th[illegible] extras, 54½@55c; creamery, extras score) 56c; firsts 52@53½c; packing st[illegible] current make No. 2, 46c.

EGGS—Irregular; receipts 17,173 cas[illegible] fresh gathered extras 54@55c, extra fir[illegible] 50@53c; firsts 46@48c.

CHEESE —Weak; receipts 3,177 box[illegible] state, whole milk, flats, current ma[illegible] specials, 31½@32½c; do average run, [illegible]@31c; state, whole milk, twins, curr[illegible] make, specials, 31½@31½c; do aver[illegible] run, 30½@31c.

POULTRY—Alive steady; chickens, @38c; fowls, 32½@33c; old roosters 2[illegible] 22c; turkeys, 25@35c; dressed steady [illegible] unchanged.

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, Aug. 12. — BUTTER—Low creamery 48@53.

EGGS — Lower; receipts 14,446 cas[illegible] firsts, 41@42c; ordinary firsts, 37@38[illegible] at mark, cases included 38@41c; stor[illegible] packed firsts, 43@43½c.

POULTRY—Alive unsettled; springs 3[illegible] fowls, 28½c.

POTATOES—Unsettled; arrivals 79 ca[illegible] Minnesota early Ohios, sacked, car lo[illegible] $3.25@3.50 cwt; Kansas, Illinois and Mi[illegible]souri ditto $3.00@3.25; New Jersey [illegible] ants, sacked, car lots, $4.35 cwt. N[illegible] Jersey cobblers, sacked and bulk, car l[illegible] $4.50@4.65 cwt.

New York Sugar.

New York, Aug. 12.—Raw sugar stea[illegible] centrifugal, $7.28, fine granulated, $9.00

GRAIN

Peoria Cash Market.

Peoria, Aug. 12. — CORN—Unchang[illegible] No. 2 yellow $2.05; sample, $1.85.

OATS—Unchanged; No. 2 white [illegible] No. 3 white 74½c.

St. Louis Cash Market.

St. Louis, Aug. 12.—CORN—No. 3, $1.[illegible] No. 2 white $2.09@2.10; No. 4 white $2.[illegible] No. 5 white $2.00.

OATS—No. 2 white 77½@78c; No. [illegible] white oats 76½@77c. No. 2 oats 74[illegible] 75½c.

RYE—No. 2 $1.50½@1.60.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, Aug. 12.—CORN—No. 2 mi[illegible] $2.06@2.07; No. 2 yellow, $2.09@2.10.

OATS—No. 2 white 75½@77½c; No. [illegible] white, 73½@78½c.

RYE—No. 2, 1.55½@1.57½.
BARLEY—$1.32@1.47.
TIMOTHY—10.00@11.75.
CLOVER—Nominal.
PORK—Nominal.
LARD—$31.52.
RIBS—$26.00@27.00.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, O., CLOVER SEED—Prime [illegible] $30.00; October $30.40; December $2[illegible] March $29.30.

ALSIKE—Prime cash, $25.15; Octo[illegible] and December $25.40.

TIMOTHY—Prime cash old, and n[illegible] $5.40; September $5.85; October, $5.[illegible] December, $5.82½; March, $5.07½.

CORN VALUES AGAIN SA[illegible]

Chicago, Aug. 12.—Bearish sen[illegible]ment continued to dominate the co[illegible] market today, except as to the Se[illegible]tember delivery. Anxiety of sho[illegible] in that month as to the meagrene[illegible] of arrivals gave a decided upturn [illegible] September. On the other hand, ra[illegible]road labor difficulties and the [illegible]velopment in the movement to co[illegible] bat the high cost of living had [illegible] weakening influence on prices [illegible] for December and May deliveri[illegible] Opening quotations, which rang[illegible] from the same as yesterday's fini[illegible] to 1½c lower, including Septemb[illegible] $1.90½@1.91 and December $1.5[illegible] 1.53 were followed by advances [illegible] September and by feeble rallies in [illegible] new crop months.

Trade lacked volume especially [illegible] the September option which towa[illegible] the last receded somewhat after i[illegible]mediate demand by shorts had be[illegible] relieved The market closed unse[illegible]tled, 1¾c net lower to ¾c advan[illegible] with September $1.91@1.91¼, and [illegible]cember $1.52¾@1.53.

Scattered buying made the o[illegible] market comparatively firm. Af[illegible] opening ¼c off to ⅛c up, includi[illegible] September at 74⅛ to 74⅝c, the ma[illegible]ket sagged a little and then rose [illegible] above yesterday's finish.

There was virtually no business [illegible] provisions. Sharply higher quote[illegible]ions on hogs discouraged buyers a[illegible] made sellers extremely cautious.

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WABASH SHOPMEN TAKE STRIKE VOTE

Will Determine Whether Men Will Return to Work —Know Wednesday Night.

Wabash shopmen all over the system Tuesday were voting on the question of returning to work. This is in accordance with the plan determined upon at the meeting of the general committee of Allied Crafts held in Decatur Monday. In Decatur and probably at all other points on the system the vote will be taken Tuesday night at a meeting called for that purpose. The voting will be by secret ballot.

The results of the ballot will be forwarded to Decatur at once and will be canvassed Wednesday by the executive board.

F. R. Lee, general chairman of the Allied Crafts for the Wabash system and other members of the executive board are remaining over in Decatur for this purpose. Whether the strike will go on or not will be known when the result of this vote is announced.

CLERKS TO MEET

The clerks will hold a meeting Wednesday night to vote on going back. By the time their meeting is held the result of the vote of the shop men will be known. If the shopmen vote to go back there is no question as to the action of the clerks. If the shopmen vote to stay out then there is likely to appear a division among the clerks and the result of the election is problematic.

There are 125 members of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks out in Decatur. Of these perhaps not more than 200 are actually clerks. The brotherhood includes ticket men, baggage men, freight house men, supply department men and others who are not numerically strong enough to form an effective union of their own. There is believed to be no doubt that the clerical workers are anxious to get back on the job, but when the question of returning to work is submitted to 125 persons representing a good many branches of the railway service the result will remain in doubt till all of the ballots are counted.

OTHER FACTORS

There are other factors to be considered. It is only the clerks in Decatur that are out on strike. At all other points on the Wabash system they have either remained at work or have gone back. The strike was unauthorized and all sorts of complications may result from this. There is danger that the charter of the Decatur local may be revoked and the positions of the members be declared vacant. It is expected that if the clerks should vote to stay out there will be a break in the organization and some of the people go back regardless of the action of the local.

Walter G. Callings, general chairman of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks for the Wabash system is in Decatur and has been here since Monday. Previous to coming to Decatur he has been in Washington for eight weeks working on a new schedule for railway clerks. He expects to leave for Washington Friday and will on Monday appear before the wage board of the U. S. Railway administration. Very naturally he isn't doing any talking except in meetings while he is here. It is easy to understand that he is in a pretty delicate position. He is obliged to work with the general officers of the organization and at the same time represent his Wabash constituents.

SOME DOUBT

Will the shop men vote to go back? From the opinions that one can hear there is a good deal of doubt about it. "There is no question as to how everybody east of Seventh street will vote," said one shop man, "but I cant tell what the locomotive shops will do." This was a car department man. There is a feeling that the car shop men will vote to go back to work, that the round house men will probably do so and that the locomotive shop men may vote to stay out.

The majority rule and it is not only the Decatur shop men voting but the men at Moberly, Fort Wayne, Montpelier, Peru and all over the Wabash system.

One man went to some pains to explain why car shop men are more conservative than locomotive shop men. Many of the car department men have been in the service for years. They are men of families and own homes here. They are fixtures and don't want to live anywhere else. The locomotive shop men are drawn from all over the Wabash system, from Moberly, Fort Wayne and elsewhere. Many of them are young men and unattached.

C. I. & W. GET BUSINESS.

The Wabash Monday delivered to the C. I. & W. at Decatur 135 cars of freight. This is "pickings" for the C. I. & W. an affords no joy to the Wabash. Besides this the C. I. & W. is picking up a lot of business that would ordinarily go to the Wabash. Several cars of meat from Kansas City for the Armours and Swift storage houses in Decatur were delivered Monday night, some Staley stuff properly belonging to the Wabash is going over the C. I. & W. and that road is handling a good many automobiles. The danger to the Wabash is that some of the shippers may get the C. I. & W. habit and forget to break away from it after the strike is over.

E. A. Hess, Wabash passenger and ticket agent, became ill while on duty Tuesday and was obliged to go home. This does not mean that the ticket office was closed or is going to close. Division Passenger Agent H. P. Gardner relived Mr. Hess and business went on as usual.

To Springfield.

Warren Harrison, who has been acting as treasurer at the Empress theater during the summer, has gone to Springfield to act in that capacity at the Majestic theater during the state fair week. Following that, he will go to Champaign to become treasurer of the Majestic theater. He is a brother of Manager S. I. Harrison of the Empress theater here.

STALEY CO. BUYS SWITCH ENGINE

Will Do Much Work Being Done By Others.

The A. E. Staley Manufacturing Co. has now its own switch locomotive and the big engine is at work shunting cars of coal, starch and building material about the grounds of the starch plant. The engine is a Brooks locomotive, with six drive wheels and was secured by the company from the New York Central railroad.

It is a powerful machine and is expected to relieve the company from the delays incident to being compelled to wait for other switch engines which are usually about as busy as they can be anyway.

STRIKE INTERFERING

Unless the railroad strike lets up soon the big starch company will be unable to keep going because of its inability to take care of the corn oil. Tank cars are needed for this purpose and although there is a large stock of corn and coal with which to run the fact that the corn oil must be taken care of might stop everything.

It is the hope of the officials that a tank car or two can be secured from the railroad company before the necessity for shutting down arises.

DECATUR MAN IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

Clarence Cunningham Hurt in Milwaukee Street Car Accident.

Clarence Cunningham, son of Mrs. C. W. Cunningham, 1705 Whitehel avenue, now living at 681 Cramer street, Milwaukee, was seriously injured in an accident in Milwaukee last Wednesday night, when a heavily loaded truck ran into the street car in which he was riding. The accident occurred at Hanover street and Greenfield avenue. Mr. Cunningham was thrown to the center of the car and three or four heavy men fell on him. He was injured about the chest and shoulders. Two other men were also injured in the accident.

FIVE JERSEY COWS AT PUBLIC SALE

Lutz Stock Brings $119 to $140 per Head.

S. M. Lutz sold five head of full-blooded Jersey milch cows at the sale which he held at his place near Oak Crest Tuesday afternoon. The Jerseys brought from $119 to $140 each and five other cows which were brought to the sale by other owners but which were not full blood brought various prices, usually lower than the full blood stock.

A small bunch of hogs were sold to a farmer from Cerro Gordo who took them home for feeding purposes.

The attendance at the sale was very good considering the small amount of stock offered.

LOUIS WALLIS TO TALK TOMORROW

Speaks Before City Club on "Square Deal for Business."

The situation in the country and the world at large is causing considerable interest to be taken in the talk which Louis Wallis will give before the City club at its regular every other week luncheon at the Orlando hotel Wednesday noon.

"A square deal for business" has quite as much interest at this time as his talk on labor and business which he made during the stressful times of the war when increase of production for the purpose of winning the war was being urged on all branches of business.

Mr. Wallis is essentially a student of economic conditions and is now with the John Fels Commission which is endowed by the big soap man for the purpose of economic and social investigation.

LABOR BUREAU PLACING MANY

Twelve Men and Several Women Sent Out Monday.

The state labor bureau is busy placing men and women and while many placed do not make reports it is known that twelve men and some women were placed at work Monday.

Many letters come to the office for all sorts of purposes and Tuesday one came from a man who had been in business in town in southern Illinois but who had sold out and who wanted to locate in Decatur.

He had heard that Decatur was a good town in which to live and do business and he had decided that he would locate here if he could find something to do which suited his training in business.

MEETINGS.

Macon Chapter, 21, R. A. M. Special meeting tonight at 7:30 at Eldorado temple.

I. A. to B. of R. T. Regular meeting at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Ryan and Higgins hall.

Liberty Council 77 Degree of Honor. Meeting at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the Red Men hall. Music by Greenwood's orchestra from 9 until 12.

Golden Crown Camp 120. Meeting at 8 o'clock Tuesday night in the K. P. hall Powers building.

Ladies' Auxiliary of the Sons of Veterans. Important business meeting at 8 o'clock Tuesday night in the G. A. R. hall.

Macon Lodge Number 8 A. F. and A. M. [illegible] meeting at 7:30 Tuesday night at William and Water.

DECATUR FLOUR AT LOWER PRICES

Forty-eight Pound Sack Is Quoted at $3.

Flour made right here in Decatur, of excellent quality and made from wheat raised in this neighborhood, was placed on sale here Tuesday at $3 for a forty eight pound sack.

This is not government flour, it is not war flour, it is a high grade product milled right here and is the first visible step in the downward trend of prices which must come if the fight against the high cost of living is to get out of the debating stage.

This flour is made from wheat raised in Illinois and is even made in a mill, the milling machinery of which is also a Decatur patent.

MRS. SARAH MARTIN ILL SEVEN MONTHS

Funeral Services in Niantic Christian Church Wednesday.

Mrs. Sarah Ann Martin, wife of F. M. Martin, died at the family residence, 1218 North Railroad avenue Monday afternoon, following a seven months illness. Before her marriage in 1886, she was Miss Sarah Heckwine. She was born Oct 30, 1867 near Mt. Auburn. Nine years ago, the family moved to Decatur from Niantic. She had long been a member of the Christian church.

She is survived by her husband and three children Glenn Martin of Springfield, and Mrs. J. W. Coffey and Frank Martin of Decatur; also two sisters, Mrs Frank Blenkenship of Niantic and Mrs Levi Cross of Culross, Manitoba, and one brother, John Heckwine of Illiopolis. The funeral service will be held in the Niantic Christian church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock but there will be a short service at the residence here before the departure of the funeral party at 1:45 o'clock. Burial will be in Long Point cemetery.

CHARLES M. FINLEN.

According to a message received in Decatur Tuesday Charles M. Finlen, a retired business man of Streator Ill., and father of Mrs. P. H. Cox of Decatur, died there Saturday and was buried Tuesday.

FUNERALS.

MRS. ROY ALEXANDER

The funeral of Mrs. Roy Alexander was held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, services being conducted in the Monson and Wilcox chapel with Rev. G. W. Miller of LaPlace and Rev. J. W. Grater of Decatur officiating. Vocal selections were given by Miss Mary Hoots and Miss Edith Whitsett. The floral offerings were in charge of Misses May Fowler, May Church, Isabella Church, Grace Basil, Edna Ashenfelter and Hazel Etheron. Pallbearers were T. J. Hinton, Frank Kennedy, C. E. Wire, J. Guest, H. Johnson and J. Nalefski. Interment was in Fairlawn.

SCHOOL NOTES

Miss Laura Durkee who will teach this year in the commercial department of the James Millikin university has returned from Chicago where she has been attending the Gregg summer normal school.

Teachers in the Decatur schools Tuesday morning received their assignments for next year. The assignment list has not yet been made public.

T. M. Deam principal of the high school, is away on a trip to interview teachers. He will visit Benton Ill., and Kokomo and Logansport Ind.

Miss Cena Van Nattan of the high school office left Tuesday morning for Detroit.

The polls opened for the special school election at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and will remain open until 6. The polling places are the high school, Jackson street school, Jasper street school, Oakland school, Durfee school and Pugh school.

Mary R. Hartman who has been in the summer school at Normal, was Tuesday morning signed as fifth grade teacher.

L. Dow Nichol, teacher in the high school, asks for a ten days' extension of absence from Decatur after the opening of the school. He has been serving as park ranger in Yellowstone park this summer and his work will not conclude till Sept. 15.

CHATEAU THIERRY FIGHTER IN CITY

Capt. H. H. Barber Helped Turn Germans Back from Paris.

Capt. H. H. Barber, formerly of the 74th company, 6th regiment United States Marines is in the city calling on W. C. Starr, Overland distributor. Capt. Barber was in the big scrap at Chateau Thierry when the marines stopped the German advance and started the homeward march that lead to the armistice.

He was in Western Military Academy when war was declared and was commissioned a second lieutenant. He was advanced to first lieutenant and then to captain. He was sent to France in Sept. 1917 and in June 1918 the big scrap started. He was gassed and wounded three times while in the service.

He is a special representative of the Willys-Overland Co., and is the son of A. C. Barber, division manager of this territory with headquarters in Moline.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coberly, 1356 North Broadway, Monday, August 11, a son. He has been named James Allen.

To Mr. and Mrs. John C. Auer, 1076 West Decatur street, Tuesday, August 12, a son, at the Decatur and Macon County hospital.

Church

On Vacation.

Rev. Earnest Reed, pastor of the Christian church at Carlock in McLean county was in Decatur Monday afternoon on his way to Harlstown for a short vacation. He says that his church last Sunday morning raised $600 in cash and received two donations of registered thoroughbred pigs and had two accessions to the membership. Mr. Reed was formerly connected with the circulation department of The Review.

Plan Work.

The committees of the Christian Endeavor society of the Second United Brethren church met Monday night in the home of E. J. Spitzer, 1918 North Church street. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss ways and means of creating greater interest among the young people in the Christian Endeavor work. They discussed such questions as: "How to Get committees to work" and "What is our biggest problem?" E. J. Spitzer, the president, gave the plans for the devotional meetings from now until the end of the year. The committees will make every effort to successfully carry out these plans. Following the business meeting, a social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served.

Expect 1,500 Delegates.

Fifteen hundred delegates are expected to attend the Methodist Woman's Foreign Missionary convention which will be held in Decatur Oct 7, 8 and 9. Delegates will be here from Illinois, Indiana, Michigan and Wisconsin. There will also be several missionaries and a number of national workers present. This meeting is expected to be one of the largest and most interesting of the Methodist meetings held during the year.

District 7.

District number 7 of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. C. J. Rack, 1112 East North street.

DECATUR SOLDIERS RETURNING HOME

Among Decatur boys arriving in Hoboken, N. J., from overseas service Monday, are the following names:

Corporal Leland G. Duncan, casual company, wife Elma, 1810 East Wood street.

Sergeant Peter F. Warsher, wife Eva, no local address.

Private Benjamin T. Hoffman, wife Minnie, 1261 North Union street.

POLICE NOTES.

The police arrested Raymond Nidifer, age 11, and Levi Reed and Laverne Olmstead, each 13 years old, Tuesday morning, charged with stealing tobacco and other things from the I. T. S. freight house. As the boys or at least two of them have been in much trouble before, they will probably be sent to St. Charles.

Miss Emma Rinehart, visiting at 327 North Mill street, reported to the police Tuesday morning, that burglars had gotten into her room sometime during the night by removing the screen window. They had taken her suit case and clothing, her glasses and a pocketbook containing $38.

Mitchell Moore rode up to the local employment office on his bicycle Tuesday morning. While inside the office, some fellow came along and road the wheel, a Dayton, away. It was reported to the police.

John Sullivan, a switchman, 1581 North Morgan street, was picked up during the night by the police lying in the street near Grand avenue and Edward. Neighbors had called into the police and made complaints that two men were fighting out there. When the police arrived, the other fellow was gone. Sullivan was charged with drunkenness and fighting. It is thought the other fellow is one of two young fellows who recently got into trouble here.

Peter Martin, charged on two warrants with violation of the city ordinance relative to dogs, pleaded guilty before Justice H.C. Noble Monday evening and was fined a total of $15.

Sam Madero, charged with speeding, on complaint of P. H. Sims, pleaded not guilty Monday night before Justice H. C. Noble and was placed under $100 bond for trial on Aug. 19.

W. J. Whalen reported to the police Monday evening that he has lost his pocketbook, containing $300 in checks and currency.

Personal

Mrs. Bert Darnell and daughters, Velma and Beatrice, 2212 North Edward street, have returned from a visit at Filmore with Mrs. Darnell's sister, Mrs. Elmer Rush.

Mrs. F. A. Havighurst and children, James and Miriam Content, returned from Seattle, Wash., Tuesday morning. They have been visiting Mrs. Havighurst's parents there for several weeks.

Miss Agnes Berkcolder of Youngstown, O., arrived in Decatur Monday to visit her brother, Paul E. Berkcolder, 351 North Water street. On her return to Youngstown, Miss Berkcolder and Noble Golden will be married.

Miss Lillian Bold, 35 East Wood street, has returned home after a month's visit in Rockford, Indianapolis and Greenfield.

Ralph Roney of the Decatur Drug company, left Tuesday for Chicago.

Charles Giblin of Chicago, is visiting his uncle, W. J. Haffey, 803 East Leafland street.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Harry E. Koshinski, Decatur 21
Dora Rohrbach, Decatur 23

Thomas J. Deain, Argenta 45
Waive Hunt, Vandalia 31

ASK $18 A DAY FOR HOTEL ROOM

George Ehrhart Says Tourists Won't Pay.

90 PER CENT CAMP

Finds Sante Fe Trail Best to Colorado.

Ninety per cent of the people who are touring through the west are camping out," said George W. Ehrhart who returned Sunday from a trip of 2,600 miles made during the last three weeks to Colorado Springs and Denver. Mr. Ehrhart says that the hotels, throughout the section of the country where he and his family toured are to blame for the camping fever. Rates have been raised until they are absolutely beyond the reach of any ordinary man.

At Colorado Springs the Decatur man stepped into a hotel and the clerk blandly shoved the register over to him but Mr. Ehrhart has toured very considerably and he asked the man behind the desk what his rates were before the name went down on the register.

$18 A DAY.

"Oh, we can give you a fairly good room for $18 a day," replied the hotel dignatary.

"There is absolutely no chance of transacting any business," replied the Decatur man, and the clerk dropped the price to $15 a day but the tourist from the corn fields of Illinois could not even see that figure, and he went to another hotel where he did secure a room for eight dollars a day, which seemed plenty to him.

ALL EXORBITANT.

The hotel rates in all of the towns are exorbitant, he says, and stories of prices paid by the oil speculators who drove up from Oklahoma and Kansas oil fields made the other people feel as if they were entirely out of the running.

One man with his family of a wife and two children was paying $16 a day at one of the hotels at Colorado Springs.

In Denver the tourists found the same "gold fever" apparent at the hotels as well as in most of the smaller towns even where accommodations were inferior.

O. TO O. TRAIL.

"The Ocean to Ocean route should be avoided by tourists after leaving Kansas City," said M. Ehrhart. "It is poorly marked, goes through a wild and uninhabited country, misses most of the towns and is not kept up well at all.

"From Decatur to Kansas City the tourist should go by the way of Hannibal and Chillicothe and after that the Santa Fe trail is much the better route. This trail is well marked, goes through the towns and cities along the way, has markers which give definite information as to distances to other towns and the roads are much better kept up also."

MEETS FRIENDS.

While in the Garden of the Gods the Decatur party were at a place where automobiles turn around when some one called out.

"Hello George," and D. F. Ballard formerly a contractor in Decatur came up to the Decatur party. He is located in that park and makes his living showing tourists the natural wonders there at four dollars a tourist.

On their way back to Decatur they met Mr. and Mrs. Luther Martin near Griggsville, this state, who had started on their drive for California.

MANY CAMP OUT.

But the marked feature of the trip to the Ehrharts was the very great proportion of motor tourists who were equipped to tell the hotel clerks just what they thought of them by reason of their camping outfits.

In Colorado Springs where a camping site is provided by the city, the Decatur tourists estimate that 100 parties were camped when they were in that city.

Colorado roads are among the best in the country and Missouri roads will run any other state a close race for being the poorest.

DECATUR RELATIVES

While driving west the Decatur party pulled up under a tree by the roadside for a short rest when the farmer living near there came out to talk to them. When he found out where they were from he asked them if they knew Andy Dunston in Decatur.

The man was a first cousin of Mr. Dunston, had the same name, and he spent an hour in chatting with the Decatur people. He also brought out a large quantity of ripe plums which he had gathered from a tree in his orchard.

TUG TAYLOR IS REFUSED PARDON

Sentenced from Decatur for Murder of Stella Ware.

The Illinois State Board of pardons has refused to grant a pardon to Tug Taylor, colored man, sentenced from this county, for murder some years ago. He was convicted of murdering his sweetheart, Stella Ware, near the Jackson street school house.

CITY CLUB PICNIC SET FOR AUG. 28

Chairman of Committees Named to Make Arrangements.

Chairman of committees to arrange for the City Club picnic to be given at The Pines, Aug. 28 were named Tuesday. T. W. Boruff is general chairman while J. R. Holt is chairman of the refreshment committee, Dr. Orville Wilhelmy, program; J. D. Heck, attendance and J. M. Clokey, arrangements.

On the program committee with Dr. Wilhelmy are H. R. Gregory, Forest File, Dr. R. Z. [illegible] and Dwight Stamper.

START INSPECTION OF ALL SIDEWALKS

Van Praag Says They Must be Put Down Right—No Patching.

Commissioner Alex Van Praag in company with the city engineers and street superintendent expected to start on a tour of the city Tuesday afternoon, inspecting all of the new concrete sidewalks.

"We are going to make the contractors put these walks down according to specifications or quit" said the commissioner. Patching will not do. The walk has to go down right. That East North walk has been down less than six weeks, but this morning I received word from a property owner of another walk out there that had been down less than two weeks and it is crumbling to pieces."

GENERAL WELLS SETTLED STRIKE

Peoria Paper, Gives Decatur Man Credit for Work.

The strike of about 300 men at the Altorder plant at Pekin, started some weeks ago, ended Sunday, mainly through the efforts of Brigadier Genral F. P. Wells of Decatur, who was sent to Pekin by Governor Lowden to handle the matter, according to Peoria papers.

General Wells is given credit for getting committees from the men and the company together and effecting a settlment that was satisfactory to both sides. General Wells is also credited with settling the Amish trouble at Tremont near Peoria, during the war.

STALEYS CLOSED FOR BIG PICNIC

Everyone Goes to Faries Park for All Day Outing.

Anyone who wanted to do business with the Staley Manufacturing Co. Tuesday was, as the saying is, out of luck, for the big plant was shut down as tight as it is possible to shut down a starch factory for the annual picnic of the Staley Fellowship Club which was being held at Faries Park.

Calls on the telephone merely received an answer from the gateman who told the caller that every body and his wife and children or sweetheart had gone to enjoy the big play day of the year.

THOUSANDS OUT.

Early Tuesday morning the first groups began to reach the park and by 9 o'clock the special cars on the interurban were dumping their hundreds of fun hunters at the station there.

Many went out in automobiles and it was estimated that by noon probably 2,000 persons were in the crowd.

Officials of the company were no more important than any one else and everybody took part in the various athletic contests without regard to rank.

Dancing at the pavilion both afternoon and evening was expected to be one of the enjoyable features of the day. The picnic dinners which were eaten on the hills and under the trees of the park were also a real feature of the day which was a perfect one from the standpoint of temperature and dust.

MILLIKIN HOME PICNIC AUG. 20

Report Made at Board Meeting of Months' Donations.

The regular meeting of the Anna B. Millikin Home board was held at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Plans were made for the annual picnic to be given by the board for the children in Fairview Park on Wednesday, Aug. 20. M. L. Harry will furnish a car to take them to and from the park.

There are forty-eight children in the home and three old women. The following donations were received during the month of July:

Mrs. W. P. Deverall—Clothing.
E. B. Collins, Forsyth—Case of honey.
J. M. Berry—Case of Muskmelons.
M. E. Cowell—Fruit.
Miss L. Coleman—Clothing.
Picnic committee of the Illinois Traction system at Bloomington—Fifty boxes of cracker jack.
Mrs. Clyde Lyon—Fruit.
Mother's class of the First Methodist church—Ice cream.
Bachman and Martin picnic—Food.
Friends—Bananas, cookies, cake and potatoes.
Oakland school Parent and Teachers' Association—Sheets and pillowcases.
Millikin homestead—Pears and apples.
C. P. Maxwell—Twenty-nine pairs of hose.
Miss Alice Caldwell, Patoka—Barrel of canned fruit.

Weddings

DEAIN-HUNT.

Thomas J. Deain, a farmer from near Argenta, and Miss Waive Hunt of Vandalia, were married at 4:30 o'clock Monday afternoon in the county court room by Judge J. H. McCoy.

Civil Service Exams.

Following is a schedule of some of the U. S. Civil service examinations to be held by the local secretary, C. A. Lindsley in the Decatur postoffice in the near future:

Any Tuesday Stenography, typewriting and book-keeping.

Aug. 23—Railway mail clerk.

Aug. 23—Rural mail carrier for Harristown and also for Macon county.

STANDARD LIFE CO. INCREASES CAPITAL

Formal Meeting of Directors Held Last Saturday.

The formal meeting of the directors of the Standard Life Insurance Co. was held Saturday following the legal advertisement and the increase in the capital stock was voted. The company is now authorized to issue as high as $500,000 in stock but it will be issued only as needed for the increasing business of the company.

The present capital stock is $100,000.

DEEDS RECORDED.

Theron A. Powers to William Meyer, lot 22, block 5, Nelson Park addition—$310.

Oscar J. Zimmerman to Loran E. Campbell, lot 25, West Lawn addition—$1.

Christopher Albert to Abraham J. Rosenthal, lot 20, block 1, Durfee, Warren and Co's, addition—$5,500.

Aaron Jones to Albert Smith, tract containing 11:48 acres east of Illinois Central tracks in nw.se, Section 22-16-2—$1.

George W. Morrison to William Cross, Sr., lots 1, 2 and 3, block 2, Della Abbott's addition to Niantic—$4,000.

Amort Williams to Albert Murray, lot 3 and part of s½, ne and part n½ se section 22-16-2 containing 12.10 acres—$1.

J. M. Allen to Lewis C. Cass, lots 6 and 7 blocks 5 Oakdale—$1000.

Solomon G. Brerount to William F. Pickle, lot 10 an 1½ feet off south side lot 9, Brenneman addition—$1200.

William J. Carter to Ada M. Johnson, east 50 feet, lot 11, E. O. Smith's survey block 14, Western addition—$1.

Family Reunion.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McKown, 2800 East Hickory street, Sunday, Aug. 10, in honor of Mrs. A. A. Ackerman of Washington, D. C. and Grover McKown of Twin Falls, Idaho, both formerly of Decatur. Thirty-one guests were entertained. Mrs. A. A. Ackerman will spend two weeks visiting relatives and friends here. Mr. McKown left Monday for his home after a month's visit in Decatur.

Scraps of News

The city clerk now has the blank license forms for the new city wheel tax ordinance, from the printers, and is ready to issue the license. The ordinance went into effect Sunday.

WELFARE HOME BOARD.

The board of directors of the Welfare Home will meet at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning at the Y. W. C. A. building.

CAMP OUT.

Rev. J. D. Smith, wife and two sons of Sterling, Colo., camped in Fairview park Monday night. They are the first campers in several days.

LOSES BOOK.

Supt. Torrence of the parks, has lost a little book in which he kept many of the calls of persons wanting him to come to look at trees. He requests those who notified him to call him again.

TO GIVE DANCE.

An informal mid-summer dancing party will be given for the Elks of Decatur at the B. P. O. E. club rooms, on Friday evening, Aug. 15. W. Cecil Bohon, J. Eldon Johnston and R. Elliott McKee are on the committee in charge.

News from the Sick

Fred Perry, former Decatur man, now in the undertaking and automobile business at Pawnee, Ill., underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Decatur and Macon County hospital Tuesday morning. Less than three weeks ago, he underwent a serious operation, necessitated by an attack of the influenza last year.

DRIVING DECATUR CAR TO AKRON

Firestone Rubber Co. Official Buys Pan-American.

W. A. Phares, secretary of the Pan-American Motors Corporation, left for Akron, O., Monday noon with a roadster which the company had built for an official of the Firestone Rubber Co.

The car was ready to be shipped, the railroads are not taking freight and if they did there is no assurance of when the car would arrive, so Mr. Phares, who was planning to go to Cleveland on business, offered to drive the car through to the customer who was anxious to get it.

STRIKE SENDING POTATOES UPWARD

Some Housewives Decide to Do Without.

Fortunately no one must eat potatoes. The house wife some times thinks she must have them but when some of the Decatur grocers began asking $1.15 a peck for them Tuesday housekeepers suddenly decided that the family could get along without the "spuds" for a time anyway.

Prices jumped to 90 cents and even as high as $1.15 Tuesday when it became evident that the railroad strike had reduced the supply of potatoes almost to the vanishing point.

The home grown crop is very generally looked upon as a failure although all gardens have produced a small crop, and with the scarcity Tuesday prices climbed very rapidly.

The only efficient way to fight the high cost is to quit buying articles which fly up like an airplane.

Send Coal Cars.

The Wabash was able to get out several freight trains Monday one of them a train of empty coal cars for the mines on the system. The mines are continuing to work about as they were working previous to the strike. But this does not mean that they are working at full capacity. Many of the mines were only working a few hours a week before the strike.

Entertain.

Misses Ethel and Edith Logan entertained twenty guests at their home Monday evening in honor of their sister, Miss Mable, who is to be married soon. The evening was spent with music and a good social time. Refreshments were served. The house was prettily decorated for the occasion. The color scheme was yellow and white.

Brings Renfro Back.

W. E. Combe, bondsman returned Tuesday with Earl Renfro from Indiana. Coombe had been asked to show reason why he should forfeit a $500 bond in Renfro's case. Renfro was charged with having broken into the Rupert Gun store last January. Coombe heard of Renfro being in Indiana and went after him.

WILSON REGRETS CARNEGIE'S DEATH

Washington, Aug. 12 — President Wilson in a message of condolence sent today to Mrs. Andrew Carnegie said the death of the philanthropist constituted a serious loss to the forces of humanity.

"May I not express my deep sympathy at the loss of your distinguished husband?" the message said. "His death constitutes a very serious loss to the forces of humanity and enlightened public service, and takes out of the world a force which it could ill afford to spare."

GOODMAN BAND CONCERT AT CISCO

Cisco, Aug. 12.—The business men of Cisco have completed arrangements with the Goodman band of Decatur consisting of twenty-one pieces, to give a free open air concert here Friday evening, Aug. 15.

Mrs. Decker of Decatur spent last week with Mrs. J. Luker.

Mrs. Mary Agustus and Mrs. Ed Ashton and daughter, Hildred, returned to their home in Argenta Monday after a visit at Ed Augustus.

Miss Lois Ennis of Weldon is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. K. Pattengale spent Sunday with her mother in Oconee.

Mrs. B. D. Loveless has returned from the St. Mary's hospital where she has been taking treatments.

LOCAL MINERS MEET TONIGHT

May Take Action on Call For Convention.

ARE DISSATISFIED

Look for Action Against State President.

Local Union No. 781 of mine workers, which local is employed at the Decatur Coal company shaft, will meet Tuesday night and it is understood Local No. 2622 from the M. and C. shaft will also meet. At these meetings, it is likely that some action will be taken toward forcing state president, Frank Farrington, to call a special convention. This action may be only adopting resolutions demanding Farrington take such action or it may mean strike.

All locals the state over are taking some action of this kind to show disapproval of action of higher officials. Emil Reinhold, secretary for Local 781, has made the following statement, in answer and correction to previous published statements.

ARE DISSATISFIED.

"Yes, the miners here are dissatisfied with the present contract. We were not satisfied with it when it was first made because it put the men here, who have to mine with picks in the same class with shot-firers and gave them a twenty cent raise along with the local men.

"They cannot call the miners radicals. If we were radicals, we would have gone out on strike during the war like some others did and forced things as we could have done. Instead of that, we agreed to stay at work under old conditions for the duration of the war.

BOUND BY CONTRACT.

"Now they want to hold us to that old contract, saying that peace has not been signed and therefore the war is not over. Its strange then that the operators and other people can raise the prices of their product. If the war isn't over, why have they done away with the fuel administration and many other war time bodies.

"When our last contract was made, it was a three cornered affair, signed by operators, miners and the fuel administration. Now the fuel administration was done away with so the contract is therefore evidently void for the operators have abandoned it and have raised the price of coal. Now are the miners to be the only one of three contracting parties that are going to be held to that contract?

WANT CONVENTION.

"A special national convention was to have been held in May 1919 and then for some reason, the national officials called it off without asking the advice of district presidents or explaining why it was called off. Now the miners are demanding that a special convention be called and if Farrington won't make the demand for us, we'll go over his head."

How are the Roads?

Mt. Pulaski — Roads are fairly good, mostly one track at the side.

Bement—Roads are good.

Shelbyville—Roads are good.

Tuscola—No change in road conditions except that the dust is increasing with the dry weather and large amount of travel and hauling.

Sullivan—Roads in fairly good condition.

ASKS DIVORCE.

Ida Amenda filed in the circuit court Tuesday a suit for divorce from Sam Amenda charging cruelty and drunkenness. They were married in 1901.

NEWS SUMMARY

Washington—Collapse of the Kolchak movement in Siberia was forecast in reports which reached here.

Copenhagen—Premier Lenine, it is rumored, intends to retire from the head of the Bolshevik government, according to Helsingfors dispatches.

London — Polish forces entered Minsk, capital of the Russian province of that name, Friday, after considerable heavy fighting, according to a war office official statement.

London—The entente blockade of Hungary was raised Monday, a Vienna dispatch said.

Peking—Parliament passed a resolution authorizing the president to issue a mandate declaring that a state of war does not exist between China and Germany.

London—A flying boat, due to start Tuesday on an 8,000 mile flight, fell Monday, killing one man.

LATE MARKETS

New York, Aug. 12.—MONEY AND EXCHANGE —Mercantile paper 5½@5¾%. Sterling 60 day bills 4 20. Government bonds heavy; railroad bonds firm. Time loans strong; 60 days, 90 days and six months 6% bid. Call money easy; high 6%; low, 6%; closing bid 5½%.

New York, Aug. 12.—LIBERTY BONDS —Final prices today: —Sere: 3½'s 99.90; first 4's 94.04, second 4's 93.04; first 4¼'s 94.16; second 4¼'s 93.30, third 4¼'s 94.86; fourth 4¼'s 93.20; Victory 3¾'s 99.80; Victory 4¾'s 99.80.

New York, Aug. 12. —Cotton futures closed steady: October 31.03; December 32.00; January 31.00, March 32.01; May, 32.12.

New York, Aug. 12.—Copper dull; electrolytic spot 23@23½c; August 23½@23¾c; September 24c. Small lots for spot and prompt delivery 22@22½c. Iron steady and unchanged. Metal Exchange quotes lead easy; spot $5.30@5.50; September, 75.40@5.65; Spelter easy; East St. Louis delivery spot $7.15@7.30; September $7.30@7.37½.

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